



**THE 2008 COINEX AUCTION – II**  
**IMPORTANT CELTIC COINS**

*including*

**Coins from the Collection of the late Michael J. Grover**  
**The Michael O'Bee Collection of Coins of the Corieltauvi (Part I)**

**MONDAY 29 SEPTEMBER 2008 AT 10 AM PRECISELY**

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### WELCOME TO AUCTION CC1

We are particularly pleased that the second of the three official 2008 COINEX auctions being staged by DNW is dedicated to Celtic coins – the first British auction devoted entirely to this material that we can recall, and certainly the largest specialist Celtic dispersal in the saleroom since that of the Henry Mossop collection in November 1991.

In the intervening period the collecting and study of Celtic coins has been transformed, resulting in a number of important publications and articles by the leading students of the series. One of them is Michael O'Bee, the first part of whose unrivalled collection of coins of the Corieltauvi is in this catalogue, and which is further introduced within. A much lesser known figure in Celtic coin collecting circles was the late Michael John Grover (22 April 1932-15 March 1999), of Leatherhead, Surrey, pictured right.

Younger brother of the dealer Brian Grover, Michael began collecting almost 40 years ago. He joined the Surrey Archaeological Society in 1976 and was actively acquiring coins until shortly before his death.



We plan to stage another Celtic-only auction in September 2009, which will include the second part of the O'Bee collection. We welcome consignments for this and other future auctions. So if you're thinking of selling, whether it be your collection or just some duplicates, please contact Christopher Webb today at [chris@dnw.co.uk](mailto:chris@dnw.co.uk), or on 020 7016 1700.

### THE AUCTION VENUE

**The Washington Hotel** is located at **5 Curzon Street**, in the heart of London's Mayfair, two minutes walk from DNW's offices.

The auction takes place in the hotel's **Richmond Suite** on the lower ground floor, access to which is via a short flight of stairs leading from the hotel restaurant.

The hotel is a 3-minute walk from the nearest Underground station, **Green Park** ( Piccadilly Jubilee and Victoria Lines, with links directly to Euston, King's Cross, Victoria [for Gatwick Airport] and Waterloo stations). It is a 40-minute direct journey from Heathrow Airport. Numerous buses stop at Green Park station. There is limited meter parking in Curzon Street and nearby streets.





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## VIEWING

All the lots in this auction are available to view, **strictly by appointment only**, at 16 Bolton Street, on weekdays from Monday 1 September to Friday 19 September. **All appointments to view must be made with the Coin Department by telephoning 020 7016 1700.** The public view is at Bolton Street on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, 22, 23 and 24 September, and on Saturday and Sunday, 27 and 28 September, from 10.00 to 17.00 each day, and on auction day, 29 September, from 08.00 until the end of the Sale. **Please note that there will be NO viewing on Thursday 25 September or Friday 26 September.**

## PRICES REALISED

The hammer prices bid at the auction are posted on the Internet at **www.dnw.co.uk** in real time. A full list of prices realised can be viewed and printed from our website after 12.00 BST on 29 September. Telephone enquiries are also welcome after that time.



CELTIC COINS FROM THE COLLECTION OF THE LATE MICHAEL J. GROVER

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### Gallo-Belgic issues



**5001** STATER, series E [Ambiani], trace of pattern, rev. disjointed horse right, pellets and ornament above, eye in front, pellet above exergual line, 6.10g (VA 52; S 11). *Good very fine* (£250-300)



**5002** STATER, series E [Ambiani], similar, 5.95g (VA 54; S 11). *Very fine* (£200-250)



**5003** QUARTER-STATER, series A [Ambiani], laureate head of Apollo left, rev. horse left, pellets and crescents above, rosette below, 1.95g/10h (VA 20; S 7). *Flat in places, otherwise better than very fine* (£500-700)

### Early Uninscribed issues



**5004** STATER, British D [Cheriton type], degraded head of Apollo right, rev. tall horse left, crab-like object and pellets below, 5.17g/1h (BMC 86ff; VA 1215; S 24). *About very fine* (£400-500)



**5005** STATER, British I [North East Coast type], degraded head of Apollo right, rev. disjointed horse left, pellets above, sunflower below, 6.00g/6h (BMC 204-10; VA 805.11; S 29). *Very fine or better, rare* (£400-500)





**5006** BASE GOLD STATER, British J [Norfolk Wolf type], degraded head of Apollo right, *rev.* crude wolf left, crescent above, pellets around, 5.72g/10h (BMC 222; VA 610.3; S 31). *About very fine (£250-300)*



**5007** STATER, British Mb [Savernake Forest type], blank, *rev.* horse right, anti-clockwise spiral above, symbols around, 4.87g (BMC 359-60; VA 1526; S 37). *Very fine or better (£400-500)*



**5008** QUARTER-STATÉ, British Lx [Whaddon Chase type], wreath over cruciform pattern, *rev.* horse right, wheel above and below, 1.09g/12h (BMC 365-6; *cf.* VA 234; S 43). *About very fine (£250-300)*



**5009** QUARTER-STATÉ, British Lx [Whaddon Chase type], similar, 1.28g/12h (BMC 365-6; *cf.* VA 234; S 43). *About very fine, the reverse struck from a damaged die (£150-200)*



**5010** BASE GOLD QUARTER-STATÉ, British O [Geometric type], crescent with three appendages, *rev.* geometric design, 1.13g (BMC 410ff; VA 1225; S 46). *About very fine (£90-120)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Chichester (W. Sussex)



**5011** QUARTER-STATÉ, British O [Geometric type], crescent with three appendages, *rev.* geometric pattern with tree, 1.56g (BMC 414ff; VA 1225; S 46). *Good very fine (£90-120)*





**5012** QUARTER-STATER, British O [Geometric type], trace of pattern, rev. geometric pattern with tree, 1.45g (BMC 419ff; VA 69.3; S 46). *Very fine* (£90-120)



**5013** QUARTER-STATER, British O [Geometric type], almost blank, rev. geometric design, 1.48g (BMC 422ff; VA 1227; S 46). *Very fine* (£90-120)

PROVENANCE:

Found at Ringwood (Hampshire)



**5014** QUARTER-STATER, British P [Trophy type], trace of pattern, rev. band with trophy in centre, zig-zag above, annulets below, 1.22g (BMC 437ff; VA 145; S 47). *About very fine, rare* (£200-250)

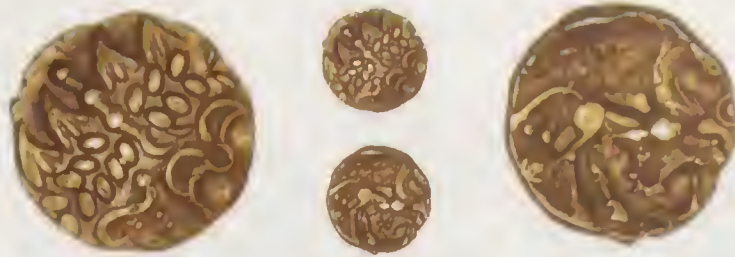


**5015** QUARTER-STATER, British Qc [Remic type], degraded head of Apollo, rev. triple-tailed horse right, sunburst above, spoked wheel below, 1.29g/1h (BMC 481ff; VA 226.1; S 48). *Flat spot on obverse, otherwise good very fine, rare* (£200-250)



**5016** QUARTER-STATER, British Qc [Remic type], degraded head of Apollo, rev. triple-tailed horse right, sunburst above, pierced star below, 1.39g/1h (BMC 519-30; VA 226.1; S 48). *Struck on a scyphate flan, good very fine, rare* (£200-250)





- 5017 QUARTER-STATER, British Qc [Remic type], similar, 1.36g/9h (BMC 519-30; VA 226.1; S 48). *Reverse struck from a broken die, good very fine, rare (£150-180)*



- 5018 QUARTER [OR FRACTIONAL]-STATER, British Qc [Remic type], degraded head of Apollo, rev. triple-tailed horse left, flower [?] above, annulet below, 0.89g/5h (BMC 537-8; VA 232.1; S 48). *Flat at one edge, otherwise very fine and very rare (£200-300)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Devizes (Wiltshire) 1994



- 5019 BASE GOLD FRACTIONAL STATER, British Qc [Remic type], degraded head of Apollo, rev. triple-tailed horse left, sunburst above, flower below, 0.94g/12h (BMC 537-8; VA 232.1; S 48). *About very fine, rare (£120-150)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Devizes (Wiltshire)



- 5020 QUARTER-STATER, British Qc [Remic type], degraded head of Apollo, rev. triple-tailed horse right, sunburst above, wheel below, 1.27g/9h (BMC 546; VA 246.1; S 48). *About very fine, rare (£120-150)*

- 5021 POTINS (2), Thurrock type, head left, rev. bull right, MA above, 3.01g/3h (BMC 660ff; VA 1402ff; S 62); class II type, crude head, rev. lines representing bull (BMC 715ff; VA 135-9; S 64) [2]. *About very fine (£50-70)*

## Atrebates and Regni

### Uninscribed issues



- 5022 PLATED UNIT, 'Sussex Ducks' type, two ducks back-to-back, each with a pellet in its beak, three pellets between, pellets around, crescents above and below, *rev.* horse left, pellet-in-annulet above, annulet in front, pellet-in-ring and annulet below, 0.86g/6h (BNJ Coin Register 1992, 188, *this coin*; BMC –; VA –; S –). *About very fine with some original plating intact, extremely rare (£150-200)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Chichester (W. Sussex).

For a similar silver coin, see C. Rudd FPL 27, August 1997 (37). The 'ducks' have lately been identified as sea-horses

### Commius



- 5023 QUARTER-STATER, digamma, *rev.* annuleted horse left, pellet-in-ring above and below, 1.19g/9h (BMC –; VA 353.3; S 67). *About very fine, very rare (£200-250)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Ockley (Surrey)



- 5024 UNIT, head with 'ladder' hair left, *rev.* horse left, ε above, 1.06g/3h (BMC 731-4; VA 355.1; S 69). *Very fine or better (£90-120)*



- 5025 UNIT, head with 'ladder' hair left, *rev.* horse left, inverted ε above, 0.73g/6h (BMC 735ff; VA 355.3; S 69). *About very fine (£70-90)*



- 5026 MINIM, head with 'ladder' hair left, three pellets behind, *rev.* annuleted horse left, pellet-in-ring above and below, 0.27g/9h (BMC 759 60; cf. VA 355; S 70). *About very fine, rare (£90-120)*



Tincomarus



5027 BASE GOLD QUARTER-STATER, wreath, pellet in centre, rev. horse right, 1 above, 1.15g (BMC 781ff; VA 366; S 73). *About very fine (£150-200)*



5028 QUARTER-STATER, TIN on tablet, rev. boar running left, 1.19g/8h (BMC 827-37; VA 379; S 78). *Good very fine (£200-250)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Marlborough (Wiltshire) 1978



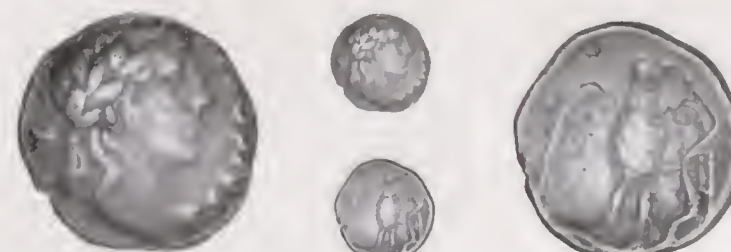
5029 QUARTER-STATER, COM F on tablet, rev. horse right, TIN around, 1.20g/3h (BMC 838-41; VA 387; S 79). *About very fine (£150-180)*



5030 QUARTER-STATER, COM F on tablet, rev. horse right, TIN above, c below, 1.19g/12h (BMC 854ff; VA 390; S 82). *Slight striking crack, otherwise very fine or better, well-centred (£180-220)*



5031 UNIT, laureate head right, TINCOM in front, v behind, rev. eagle and snake, 1.30g/12h (BMC 880ff; VA 397; S 83). *About very fine (£120-150)*



5032 UNIT, similar, 1.18g/7h (BMC 880ff; VA 397; S 83). *Good fine (£90-120)*



- 5033 UNIT, laureate head right, rev. bull right, TIN above, annulet below, 1.07g/6h (BMC 911ff; VA 381; S 85).  
About very fine (£90-120)



- 5034 UNIT, Medusa head facing, rev. bull left, TIN above, c below, 1.24g/4h (BMC 926-9; VA 370; S 86).  
Reverse a little porous, otherwise good fine (£90-120)

- 5035 UNITS (2), cross, TINC in angles, rev. lion left, 1.26g/4h (BMC 930ff; VA 372; S 87); six-pointed star, rev. boy riding dolphin right, 1.24g (BMC 946ff; VA 371; S 88) [2]. Good fine (£80-100)

- 5036 MINIMS (2), cross, C· in centre, rev. bull right, VI above, 0.30g/8h; cross, star in centre, rev. boar right, VI above, NCO below, 0.19g/12h (BMC 981-2; VA 383; cf. S 91-2) [2]. About very fine (£120-150)

## Eppillus



- 5037 QUARTER-STATER, Calleva [Silchester, Hants], star above and below CALLEV, rev. hound running right, EPP[I] above, rosette below, 1.19g/4h (BMC 986ff; VA 407; S 96). About very fine (£200-250)



- 5038 QUARTER-STATER, EPPILV [CO]M · F · around crescent, rev. horse right, star above and below, 1.19g/3h (BMC 1006-9; VA 409; S 97). Obverse slightly off-centre, otherwise very fine or better (£250-300)



- 5039 QUARTER STATER, EPPIL COMI in two lines, rev. winged horse right, annulet below, 1.19g/10h (BMC 1010ff; VA 435; S 98). Better than very fine (£250-300)





- 040 UNIT, Calleva [Silchester, Hants], rosette of pellets each side of crescent, RIX above, CAII[I] below, rev. eagle flying right, [IP]P above, pellet-in-annulet below, 1.14g/11h (BMC 1016ff; VA 415; S 99). *Obverse slightly off-centre, otherwise about very fine (£90-120)*



- 041 UNIT, bearded head right within wreath, rev. boar right, EPPI above, F COM below, 1.22g/2h (BMC 1061ff; VA 416; S 100). *Obverse slightly off-centre, otherwise good very fine, good style (£150-200)*
- 042 MINIMS (2), ornate cross, rev. eagle right, EPPI below, 0.24g/12h (BMC 1116-17; VA 420; S 102); spiral cross, pellets in angles, rev. goat, EPP above, 0.26g/10h (BMC 1118-20; VA 421; S 103) [2]. *About very fine (£120-150)*

Verica



- 043 STATER, COM F on tablet, rev. lancer right, VIR behind, REX below, 5.28g/2h (BMC 1155-8; VA 500; S 120). *Centrally struck, very fine or better (£500-600)*



- 044 QUARTER-STATER, COM F on tablet, crescent above and below, rev. horse left, VIR above, wheel below, 1.17g/1h (BMC 1177-8; VA 465; S 123). *Very fine or better (£250-300)*



- 045 QUARTER-STATER, COM F on tablet, annulet above and below, rev. horse right, VI above, 1.19g/1h (BMC 1179ff; VA 466; S 124). *About very fine (£180-220)*



**5046** QUARTER-STATER, scroll, COM above, FILI below, rev. horse right, VIRI above, annulet below (BMC 1217ff; VA 468; S 126). *Tiny striking split, otherwise about extremely fine (£300-350)*



**5047** QUARTER-STATER, VERI[A] COM F in two lines crescent above, star below, rev. horse right, star above, REX below, 1.38g/12h (BMC 1223-6; VA 501; S 127). *Good very fine (£250-300)*



**5048** UNIT, COM F, crescent between pellet-in-annulet above and below, rev. boar right, rosette above, VIRI in exergue, 1.10g/1h (BMC 1241ff; VA 470; S 131). *Obverse off-centre, otherwise very fine, reverse better (£90-120)*



**5049** UNIT, VERICA COMMI F around large pellet-in-annulet, rev. lion right, crescent above, REX below, 1.27g/8h (BMC 1332ff; VA 505; S 132). *Well-centred, good very fine (£150-200)*



**5050** UNIT, horseman with shield right, COMMI F below, rev. horseman with spear right, VERI[CA] around, 1.04g/4h (BMC 1360ff; VA 530; S 133). *About extremely fine, toned (£180-220)*



**5051** UNIT, two cornucopiae, COMMI F below, rev. seated figure right, [VIRI]CA around, 0.86g/11h (BMC 1393ff; VA 531; S 134). *About extremely fine (£150-200)*





5052 UNII, laureate bust right, VERICA around, rev. figure standing left, COMM I, 1.20g/5h (BMC 1421ff; VA 533; S 136). *Very fine or better, full legends (£120-150)*

5053 MINIMS (2), pellet-in-annulet within lozenge, rev. horse left, wheel above, 0.38g/12h (BMC 654-6; VA 482; S -); VIRIC in field, rev. boar right, crescent above, annulet below, 0.24g/10h (BMC 1519-20; cf. VA 485; S 144) [2]. *About very fine (£100-150)*

5054 MINIMS (2), pellet-in-annulet at centre of cross, rev. boar right, VI above, R below, 0.40g/1h (BMC 1521-3; VA 510.5; S 147); VIR VAR in two lines, rev. winged horse right, CO below, 0.20g/10h (BMC 1507-12; VA 511; S 148) [2]. *About very fine (£100-150)*

5055 MINIMS (2), vine leaf, rev. horse right, VERICA around, 0.30g/11h (BMC 1524-5; VA 550; S 149); laureate head right, [V]ERIC, rev. CF in torque, 0.27g/8h (BMC 1526-33; VA 551; S 150) [2]. *About very fine (£100-150)*

5056 MINIMS (2), temple, rev. bull right, VER above, REX below, 0.24g/3h (BMC 1538-41; VA 553; S 152); two cornucopiæ, rev. eagle left, 0.23g/3h (BMC 1543ff; VA 555; S 154) [2]. *About very fine (£90-120)*

5057 MINIMS (2), sphinx right, rev. sleeping dog, 0.31g/8h (BMC 1564-8; VA 557; S 156); [V]ERI across field, rev. urn, 0.24g/4h (BMC -; VA 559; S 157) [2]. *Some verdigris, otherwise about very fine (£90-120)*



5058 MINIM, urn, REX above, rev. eagle right, VERICA COMM F around, 0.31g/9h (BMC 1572-8; VA 563; S 159). *Obverse slightly off-centre, otherwise very fine or better (£90-120)*



5059 MINIM, boar's head right, CF below, rev. eagle, VE around, 0.24g/6h (BMC 1583-6; VA -; S 162). *About very fine, reverse better (£90-120)*



5060 MINIM, head right, COMM around, IE between annulets before face, rev. sphinx right, VERI around, 0.32g/2h (BMC 1587-9; VA -; S 163). *Good very fine (£120-150)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Chichester (W. Sussex)



5061 MINIM, bull right, rev. eagle with snake, 0.22g/3h (BMC 2366-70; VA 512; S 165). *A little off-centre, otherwise very fine (£90-120)*

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- 5062** MINIM, helmeted bust right, pellet-in-annulet in front, rev. dog right, E below, 0.23g/3h (BMC 2371-4; VA 558; S 166). *Irregular flan, some verdigris, otherwise very fine (£90-120)*



- 5063** MINIM, helmeted bust right, pellet-in-annulet in front, rev. dog right, three pellets in exergue, 0.27g/11h (BMC 2371-4; VA 558; S 166). *About very fine, reverse better (£90-120)*

## Cantii

### Uninscribed issues



- 5064** QUARTER STATER, Late Weald type, blank, rev. horse left, corded triangle above, lattice-work box below, 1.27g (BMC 2469-70; VA 151; S 172). *About very fine (£200-250)*

- 5065** BRONZES (2), boar left, rev. lion right, 1.91g/1h; head right, rev. dog left, 2.35g/1h (BMC 2487-8; VA 154.5, 154.9; S 176) [2]. *Fine or better, rare (£90-120)*

### Dubnovellaunus



- 5066** QUARTER-STATER, trace of pattern, rev. V-shaped bucranium between two annulets above, 1.31g (BMC –; VA 170; S –). *About very fine, very rare (£200-250)*

- 5067** BRONZE, boar right, rev. eagle facing, pellet-in-ring below, 2.36g/7h (BMC 2509-10; VA 180; S 183). *Fine, rare (£60-80)*

'Sa' or 'Sam'



- 5068** BRONZE, horse right, star above, SAM below, rev. griffin left, looking back, pellet above, 1.11g/2h (BMC –; VA –; S –). *Green patina, very fine and extremely rare, apparently unpublished (£300-400)*

PROVENANCE:  
Found in Suffolk

The present specimen is very similar to S 187B. The animal on the reverse however is definitely not a horse



## Amminus

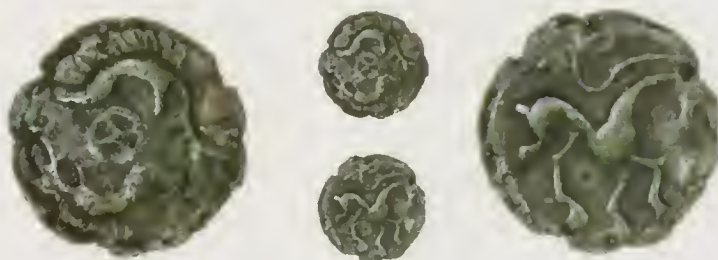


- 069** UNIT, plant, AMM[INVS] around, rev. winged horse right, DVN below, 1.02g/6h (BMC 2522; VA 192; S 188). Obverse off-centre, otherwise very fine, of good silver and accomplished style, rare (£250-300)

## Trinovantes



- 070** HALF-UNIT, 'Essex Eagle' type, eagle standing left, snake in beak, pellet-in-ring above, rev. horse right, snake above, pellet-in-annulets around, 0.45g/8h (BMC 653; VA –; S –). Good fine, reverse better, extremely rare, possibly a dozen or so known (£200-300)



- 071** BRONZE, two boars around four-spoked wheel, rev. horse right, annulet below, 1.76g/10h (BMC 402-6; VA –; S –). Green patina, good fine, reverse better, very rare (£90-120)



- 072** BRONZE, stag right, looking back, reversed s and annulet in front, crescent behind, rev. horse right, Y-shape and annulet above, pellet-in-annulet below, 1.65g/9h (BMC 407; VA –; S –). About very fine, dark patina, extremely rare (£200-300)

Only one example listed in BMC. For a similar coin, see C. Rudd FPL 29, November 1997 (71)

## Addeddomaros



- 073** STATER, spiral wreath pattern, three crescents in centre, pellets in angles, rev. horse right, ornaments around, [AODDIDOM] above, cornucopia below, 5.44g/12h (BMC 2396-2404; VA 1620.1; S 201). Good very fine (£500-600)



**5074** QUARTER-STATER, cruciform floral design, rev. horse right, ornaments around, 1.31g/1h (BMC 2417-21; VA 1623; S 204). *Good very fine* (£250-300)



**5075** BRONZE, head left with braided hair, rev. annuleted horse left, 1.56g/5h (BMC 2450ff; VA 1615; S 206). *Good very fine, dark green patina* (£80-100)

#### Dubnovellaunus



**5076** STATER, crescents and wreath, rev. horse left, pellet-in-annulet above, branch below, [DUBNOVALLAVN] around, 5.41g/2h (BMC 2425-40; VA 1650/1655; S 207). *Very fine, reverse better, scarce* (£600-800)



**5077** BASE GOLD [OR PLATED?] STATER, crescents and wreath, rev. horse left, pellet-in-annulet above, branch below, [DVBNOVALLAVN] around, 5.41g/10h (BMC 2425-40; VA 1650/1655; S 207). *About very fine, scarce* (£300-400)

PROVINANCE:

Found at Clacton (Essex) 1993



**5078** QUARTER-STATER, crescents and wreath, rev. horse left, trefoil above, pellet-in-annulet behind, branch and pellets below, 1.37g/12h (BMC 2442; VA 1660; S 208). *About extremely fine, rare* (£300-350)





- 079** BRONZE, head left with braided hair, rev. horse left, pellet-in-annulet below, 1.83g/10h (BMC 2446-8; VA 1669; S 211). *About very fine, dark patina, rare (£120-150)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Milton Regis (Kent)

### Catuvellauni

Uninscribed issues



- 080** UNIT, 'Amersham Moon Man' type, Celtic head left with crescents and braided hair, rev. annuleted horse left, pellet-in-ring above, leaf below, 1.14g/9h (BMC –; VA –; S –). *Fine silver, very fine with a striking portrait, extremely rare (£400-500)*

For a similar coin see C. Rudd FPL 59, September 2001 (60)

Tasciovanus



- 081** QUARTER-STATER, two crescents back-to-back across cruciform wreath pattern, petals in angles, rev. horse left, symbols around, 1.30g/12h (BMC 1651-3; VA 1688; S 221). *Very fine (£200-250)*



- 082** QUARTER-STATER, two crescents back-to-back across cruciform wreath pattern, pellets in angles, rev. horse left, bucranium above, 1.32g/2h (cf. BMC 1651-3; cf. VA 1688; cf. S 221). *Very fine, a very rare variety (£250-300)*



- 083** QUARTER-STATER, two crescents back-to-back across cruciform wreath pattern, [T]ASC[I] in angles, rev. horse right, TASC around, 1.25g/12h (BMC 1641; VA 1692; S 223). *Good very fine (£250-300)*



**5084** UNIT, head left with braided hair, rev. horse right, bucranium above, 1.30g/11h (BMC 1654; VA 1698; S 227). *About extremely fine, rare (£200-300)*



**5085** UNIT, two crescents back-to-back across cruciform wreath pattern, symbols in angles, rev. horse left, IC below, 0.85g/9h (BMC 1656-7; VA –; S 229). *About very fine, very rare (£150-200)*



**5086** UNIT, eagle standing left, TASCIO around, rev. griffin right, pellet-in-annulet in front, trefoil of pellets below, 1.14g/10h (BMC 1658-9; VA 1792; S 232). *Obverse fine, reverse very fine, rare (£120-150)*



**5087** UNIT, griffin right within circle of pellets, rev. winged horse left, 1.19g/10h (BMC 1660; VA 1790; S 231). *Striking split, otherwise very fine or better, very rare (£200-250)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Chichester (W. Sussex) 1992



**5088** UNIT, Verulamium [St Albans, Herts], star in lozenge at centre of crossed wreaths, VERL in angles, rev. boar right, TAS above, 1.26g/12h (BMC 1661-2; VA 1796; S 236). *Small striking split, otherwise very fine or better on a full flan (£250-300)*

PROVENANCE:

Found near Chelmsford (Essex)





- 089** UNIT, two crescents back-to-back across cruciform wreath pattern, I[AS]C in angles, rev. capricorn right, annulet above, 1.24g/11h (BMC 1666; VA –; S 239). *Obverse slightly off-centre, otherwise good very fine, extremely rare (£200-300)*

PROVINANCE:

Found in Suffolk 1994



- 090** UNIT, TASC in panel, rev. horseman left with long shield, 1.32g/7h (BMC 1677-9; VA 1800; S 238). *About very fine (£120-150)*



- 091** UNIT, TASC [O] in panel over wreath, rev. horse left, looking back, wheel above, pellet-in-annulet below, 1.18g/2h (BMC –; VA –; S –). *Good very fine, extremely rare, the type apparently unpublished (£300-400)*



- 092** BRONZE, two heads profiled right, one bearded, rev. ram left, TASC behind, flower below, 3.37g/4h (BMC 1711-13; VA 1705; S 242). *Very fine or better, dark patina (£120-150)*

- 093** BRONZES (2), bearded head right, VERIT in front, rev. horse left, VER below, 2.51g/9h (BMC 1714ff; VA 1707; S 243); cross and crescents, rev. boar right, 2.35g/2h (BMC 1702-5; VA 1713; S 252) [2]. *First about very fine, second fine (£90-120)*

- 094** BRONZES (2), bearded head right, TAS in front, rev. horseman right, VER below, 2.11g/9h (BMC 1724-7; VA 1750; S 246); head left, VER in front, rev. goat right, pellet-in-annulet below, 0.93g/8h (BMC 1765-8; VA 1715; S 256) [2]. *Good fine (£80-100)*



- 095** BRONZE, eight-pointed star, annulet in centre, rev. bull right, pellet-in-annulet above, 2.39g/12h (BMC 1752-5; VA 1810; S 248). *Obverse good fine, reverse very fine (£80-100)*

Andoco



- 5096** STATER, two crescents back-to-back in centre of cruciform wreath pattern, rev. horse right, bucranium and rosette above, AND below, 5.52g/12h (BMC 2011-14; VA 1860; S 262). *Good very fine, rare (£900-1,200)*



- 5097** QUARTER-STATER, two crescents back-to-back in centre of cruciform wreath pattern, A N D O in angles, rev. horse left, bucranium above, wheel below, 1.32g/9h (BMC 2015-17; VA 1863; S 263). *Good fine, reverse better (£300-400)*

PROVENANCE:  
Found in Suffolk



- 5098** UNIT, bearded head left, rev. winged horse left, torc around neck, AND below, 0.84g/9h (BMC 2018; VA 1868; S 264). *Good very fine, rare (£300-400)*

For the symbolic significance of the torc in Iron Age Europe, see C Rudd FPL 100

Dias



- 5099** UNIT, eight-pointed star, DIAS on tablet in centre, C above, O below, rev. horse left, crescent above, VIR below, 1.20g/8h (BMC 1683; VA 1877; S 268). *Some slight obverse surface flaws, otherwise very fine, reverse better, rare (£200-300)*

Rues



- 5100** BRONZE, bearded head right, [R]VII, rev. horseman right, VEI in front, 2.16g/2h (BMC 1698ff; VA 1892; S 272). *About very fine, reverse better, green patina, rare (£200-250)*

PROVENANCE:  
Found in Suffolk



- 101** FRACTIONAL BRONZE, lozenge, annulet in centre, rev. eagle left, 1.21g/12h (BMC 1756-8; VA 1903; S 274).  
Fine, rare (£50-70)

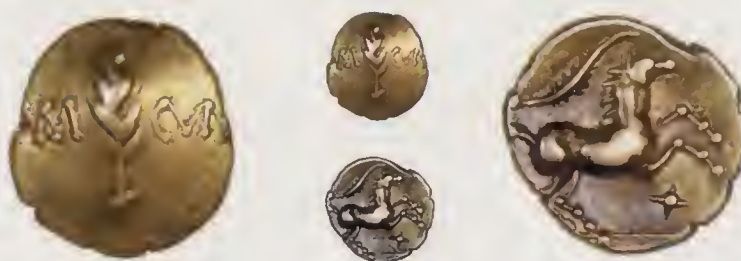
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- 102** STATER, Plastic type, ear of barley dividing CAMV, rev. horse prancing right, branch above, pellets around, CVNO below, 5.34g/3h (BMC 1809ff; VA 2010.5; S 286). Obverse slightly weak with a few scratches, otherwise very fine, reverse better (£400-500)



- 103** QUARTER-STATER, Linear type, ear of barley dividing CAM[V], rev. horse right, branch above, CVN below, 1.32g/2h (BMC 1837-42; VA 1927; S 292). About extremely fine (£250-300)



- 104** QUARTER-STATER, Plastic type, ear of barley dividing [CA]M CVN, rev. horse right, branch above, star below, 1.40g/1h (cf. BMC 1845; cf. VA 2017; cf. S 295). Very fine or better, very rare (£250-300)

A variety with star beneath horse appears to be unpublished in the main references



- 105** QUARTER-STATER, Classic type, ear of barley dividing [C]AMV, rev. horse right, branch above, CVNO below, 1.25g/4h (BMC –; VA 2038; S 296). Very fine, reverse better (£300-350)



- 106** UNIT, CVN on tablet within beaded border, rev. horse left, rosette above, CAM below, 1.28g/12h (BMC 1858-9; VA 1949; S 301). On a slightly irregular flan, otherwise very fine or better (£200-250)

PROVENANCE:

Found in Essex



- 5107** UNIT, CVNO BELI on two tablets, rev. horseman right, [CVN] below, 1.25g/8h (BMC 1862; VA 1951; S 302). *About very fine (£150-200)*



- 5108** UNIT, head left, CAMV in front, rev. Victory seated right, CVNO below, 1.29g/2h (BMC 1863-5; VA 2045; S 303). *Surfaces a little porous, otherwise about very fine (£150-200)*



- 5109** UNIT, two leaves dividing two crescents and CV N, rev. horseman right, CAM below, 1.27g/9h (BMC 1866-7; VA 2047; S 304). *About very fine, dark tone (£150-200)*



- 5110** UNIT, CVNO on tablet within wreath, rev. winged horse right, TASC F below, 1.25g/10h (BMC 1870; VA 2053; S 311). *Of bright appearance, very fine (£200-250)*



- 5111** UNIT, winged bust right, CVNO in front, rev. sphinx left, TASCIO in front, 1.13g/8h (BMC 1874-8; VA 2057; S 313). *Surfaces a little porous, otherwise about very fine (£90-120)*

- 5112** BRONZES (2), griffin right, CAMV in front, rev. horse right, CVN below, 2.60g/12h (BMC 1909-12; VA 2081; S 328); head right, CVNO in front, rev. bull left [C]VN below, 2.18g/7h (BMC 1902-3; VA 2083; S 330) [2]. *Better than fine (£80-100)*

PROVINANCE:  
Found in Suffolk

- 5113** BRONZES (2), CVNO IIMII retrograde on two tablets, rev. Victory seated left, 3.60g/4h (BMC 1921-7; VA 1971; S 324); CAMVI ODVN on two tablets, rev. sphinx left, CVNO below, 2.38g/6h (BMC 1928-30; VA 1977; S 332) [2]. *Fine or better (£70-90)*

- 5114** BRONZES (2), bare head right, [CV]NOBIIIVSR[IX], rev. bull right, TASC in exergue, 2.96g/6h (BMC 1944-51; VA 2095; S 340); winged horse right, [CV]NO below, rev. Victory right, sacrificing bull, TASC below, 2.53g/12h (BMC 1913-19; VA 2099; S 343) [2]. *About very fine (£90-120)*

- 5115** BRONZES (3), laureate head right, rev. boar right, [TASC]IOVANI [I] around, 2.21g/8h (BMC 1956-60; VA 2091; S 337); horseman right, CVNOB around, rev. helmeted warrior standing, TASCIOVANTIS around, 2.39g/7h (BMC 1961-7; VA 2093; S 338); head left, rev. metal-worker with urn, [TA]SCIO behind, 2.33g/6h (BMC 1972ff; VA 2097; S 342) [3]. *Second good fine, others fair to fine (£90-120)*



- 116 BRONZES (2), helmeted bust left, CVNO in front, rev. boar seated left, [IA]SC III below, 1.93g/6h (BMC 1968-71; VA 1983; S 339); bare head left, CVNO in front, pellet-in-annulet below chin, rev. bull right, TR O below, 1.24g/8h (BMC –; VA 1985; S 341) [2]. *First fine, second about very fine (£90-120)*

PROVINANCE:

First found in Essex

Second found in Suffolk



- 117 BRONZE, bearded head of Jupiter Ammon left, CVNO[BE]LIIN around, rev. horseman right, CAM below, 2.45g/11h (BMC 1984-6; VA 2103; S 345). *Very fine or better with dark patina, rare (£120-150)*

- 118 BRONZES (2), CVNO in tablet within wreath, rev. horse right, CAMV below, 2.76g/6h (BMC 1987-90; VA 2101; S 344); bearded head of Jupiter Ammon right, rev. lion crouching right, CAMV in panel below, 2.14g/10h (BMC 1991-7; VA 2107; S 347) [2]. *About very fine (£120-150)*

- 119 BRONZES (2), sphinx right, CVNO below, rev. figure standing left holding severed head, CAM across field, 2.55g/8h (BMC 2004-9; VA 2109; S 348); animal looking back, CAM below, rev. horse left, CVN below, 1.08g/2h (BMC –; VA 1967; S 350) [2]. *First about very fine, second fine (£90-120)*

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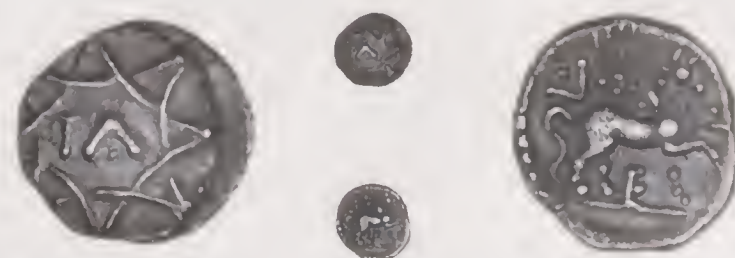
- 120 UNIT, head of Hercules right, IPATI in front, rev. eagle standing on snake, 1.12g/6h (BMC 2024ff; VA 580; S 356). *Good very fine (£90-120)*



- 121 UNIT, Victory seated right, [TAS]CIO, rev. boar right, branch above, EPAT below, 1.22g/12h (BMC 2294ff; VA 581; S 357). *Very fine or better (£90-120)*



- 122 MINIM, EPATI in field, pellet-in-annulet above and below, rev. boar's head right, TA below, 0.24g/6h (BMC 2331ff; VA 585; S 360). *About very fine (£90-120)*



- 123 MINIM, TA within star, rev. winged horse right, EPA around, 0.20g/10h (BMC 2351-7; VA 560; S 361). *About very fine, reverse better (£80-100)*

Caratacus



- 5124** UNIT, head of Hercules right, CARA in front, rev. eagle standing on snake, 1.03g/2h (BMC 2376-84; VA 593; S 364). *Good very fine, rare (£200-300)*

Durotriges

Uninscribed issues



- 5125** SILVER STATER, disjointed head of Apollo, rev. disjointed horse left, 5.89g/12h (BMC 2525ff; VA 1235.1; S 366). *Of good quality silver, better than very fine, rare (£80-100)*



- 5126** SILVER QUARTER-STATERS (2), Geometric type, crescent with three appendages, rev. geometric design, 1.28g/12h (BMC 2734ff; VA 1242; S 368); Starfish type, spiral, rev. geometric design, 0.79g/12h (BMC 2780; VA 1270; S 369) [2]. *About very fine or better, the second rare (£120-150)*

PROVENANCE:

First found at Chichester (W. Sussex) 1992.

Second only illustrated



- 5127** BASE GOLD QUARTER-STATERS, disjointed head of Apollo, rev. geometric design, 1.25g/12h (BMC –; VA –; S –). *Very fine, extremely rare, apparently unpublished (£250-350)*

The reverse design shows certain affinities to the British O [Geometric type] issue



- 5128** BRONZE, Hengistbury 'Four Four Ten' type, central forked line with four pellets either side, rev. ten pellets in three rows, 2.47g (BMC 2913; VA 1358; S 372). *Very fine (£90-120)*

- 5129** BRONZE, Hengistbury 'Seven Seven Ten' type, central forked line with seven pellets either side, rev. ten pellets in three rows, 2.03g (BMC 2924-30; VA 1345; S 372). *Very fine or better (£90-120)*



## Dobunni

### Uninscribed issues

- 130 BASE GOLD QUARTER-STATER, traces of wreath pattern, rev. horse left, pellet-in-ring above, pellet-in-annulet below, 0.77g (BMC 2949; VA 1015; S 376). *About fine (£60-80)*



- 131 UNIT, head left with braided hair, cockerel head in front, ornaments around, rev. triple-tailed horse right, crested cockerel head above and below, 1.15g/2h (BMC –; VA –; S –). *Of good silver and fine style, very fine or better, extremely rare (£400-500)*

The coin seems to be a left-facing prototype of the Dobunnic unit, Allen type A; the fine silver and style suggests it is a forerunner of the substantive, right-facing issue. The triple-tailed horse bears a certain resemblance to the Atrebatian type, the cog-wheel on the Atrebatian coins developing into the crested cockerel head on the Dobunnic series. For a similar coin see C Rudd FPL 27, August 1997 (36) where it is stated that the few known examples are “very clearly localised to the Newbury area of Berkshire”, an area lying between the territories of the Atrebates and Dobunni

- 132 UNITS (2), Corio Head type, head right, rev. triple-tailed horse left, 0.99g/1h (BMC 3014-17; VA 1042; S 377); Irregular series, crude head right, rev. double-tailed horse left, pellet-in-ring above, 1.01g/12h (BMC 3019-20; VA 1175; S 378) [2]. *About very fine (£90-120)*

#### PROVENANCE:

First found at Devizes (Wiltshire) 1994

Second found in S. Suffolk

### Anted



- 133 STATER, Dobunnic leaf emblem, rev. triple-tailed horse right, wheel below, [AN]TED above, 4.77g/4h (BMC 3023ff; VA 1069.1; S 379). *Very fine (£900-1,200)*

### Catti



- 134 STATER, Dobunnic leaf emblem, rev. triple-tailed horse right, wheel below, CATTI above, 5.38g/2h (BMC 3057ff; VA 1130.1; S 384). *Very fine, reverse better (£800-1,000)*



- 5135 UNIT, type I, stylized head right, rev. prancing horse right, cross below, 1.09g/2h (BMC 3003-4; VA 1135; S 377); **EISU**, silver Unit, stylized head, rev. annuleted horse left, EI above, 0.98g/6h (BMC 3043ff; VA 1110; S 382) [2]. *About very fine* (£90-120)

PROVENANCE:

Second found at Risbury, near Leominster (Herefordshire).

First only illustrated

### Corieltavi

#### Uninscribed issues



- 5136 STATER, South Ferriby type, devolved head of Apollo, rev. disjointed horse left, pellets above, sunflower below, 5.82g/3h (BMC 3146-7; VA 809; S 390). *Good very fine* (£300-400)



- 5137 STATER, South Ferriby type, obliterated die, rev. disjointed horse left, pellets above, eight-pointed star below, 5.42g (BMC 3172-6; VA 811.7; cf. S 390). *Very fine* (£250-350)



- 5138 UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, large pellet-and-ring motif above, rev. horse left, large pellet-and-ring motif above, pellet and ring below, 1.23g/12h (BMC 3194ff; cf. VA 855.7; S 396). *Good fine, reverse better* (£120-150)



- 5139 UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, rosette of seven pellets below, rev. horse right, wheel above, rosette of seven pellets below, 0.98g/12h (BMC 3212ff; cf. VA 860; S 396). *Good very fine, scarce* (£150-200)

PROVENANCE:

Found in Suffolk.

Displays similarities with Iceni types, cf. VA 657-9





- 140** UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, no spear in back, three pellet-and-ring motifs around, pellet below, rev. horse right, six-pointed star below, 1.13g/2h (cf. BMC 3212 cf. VA 875; S 396). *Nearly very fine, a rare variety (£120-150)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Lakenheath (Suffolk)



- 141** UNIT, South Ferriby type, blank, rev. horse right, three pellets above, pellet below tail, 1.22g (BMC 3228ff; VA 884; S 397). *Very fine or better, toned (£90-120)*

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- 142** UNIT, vestige of wreath, rev. horse left, AVN above, CO below, 1.26g/9h (BMC 3261ff; VA 914; S 403); Half-Unit, vestige of wreath, rev. horse left, AVN above, COS below, 0.55g/12h (BMC 3267-8; VA 918; S 404) [2]. *Very fine (£120-150)*

Vep Corf

- 143** UNIT, wreath, rev. horse right, VEP above, [COR]F below, 1.30g/12h (BMC 3305ff; VA 934; S 411). *Very fine (£70-90)*

- 144** HALF-UNITS (2), wreath, revs. horse right, VEP above, CO below, 0.55g/12h, 0.43g/12h (BMC 3316ff; VA 938; S 413) [2]. *Very fine (£90-120)*

PROVENANCE:

Second found at Caistor (Lincolnshire)

## Iceni

### Uninscribed issues



- 145** QUARTER-STATERS, Irstead type, latticed box, wreaths at sides, rev. horse right, voided trefoil above, pellet-in-ring below, 1.05g/3h (BMC 3436; VA 628; S 430). *Good fine (£200-250)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Cambridgeshire 1990



- 146** UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, pellets below, rev. horse right, four-spoked wheel above, hook-shaped ornament below, 0.98g/9h (BMC 3473ff; VA 659.1; S 431). *Slight chip, otherwise very fine (£120-150)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Suffolk 1993



- 5147** UNIT, Bury type, female head left, wearing crown, rev. horse left, pellet-in-ring above and below, 1.43g/9h (BMC 3524-7; VA 80; S 432). *About very fine, rare (£150-180)*



- 5148** UNIT, Face/Horse type, stylised head right, wreath behind, trefoil in front, rev. horse right, large wheel above, lozenge-shaped box below, 1.29g/3h (BMC 3556ff; VA 792.1; S 434). *Of good silver and fine style, about extremely fine and toned (£150-200)*

PROVENANCE:

CNA Mailbid Sale 20, 25 March 1992 (1165)

- 5149** UNIT, Ecen Symbol type, two opposed crescents, rev. horse right, three pellets below, 1.08g/3h (BMC 4297ff; VA 734; S 436); **EDN**, Unit, two opposed crescents on wreath, rev. horse right, pellets around, [E]DN below, 1.21g/3h (BMC 4219ff; VA 754; S 444) [2]. *About very fine (£80-100)*

- 5150** HALF-UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, pellet below, rev. horse right, annulet and pellets above, 0.42g/5h (BMC 3513ff; VA 661; S 437). *Good fine, very rare (£60-80)*



- 5151** UNIT OR HALF-UNIT, Boar and Butterfly type, boar right, stylised 'butterfly' above, beaded rosette in front and behind, pellets around, rev. horse right, beaded rosette above, pellet-in-ring below, 0.60g/12h (BMC -; VA -; S -). *Struck on a thin, slightly scyphate flan, very fine or better, extremely rare (£300-400)*

Can Duro



- 5152** UNIT, boar right, pellets behind, rev. horse galloping right, CAN above, DVRO below, reversed s in front, 1.18g/10h (BMC 3521ff; VA 663; S 439). *Obverse good fine, reverse very fine, the lettering clear, very rare (£200-250)*

PROVINANCE:

Found at Brandon (Suffolk)

Anted



- 5153** UNIT, two opposed crescents on wreath, rev. horse right, daisy above, three pellets and ANTID monogram below, 1.21g/3h (BMC 3791ff; VA 711; S 441). *Very fine or better, nice style (£70-90)*



Ecen

- 154** UNIT, two opposed crescents on wreath, rev. horse right, pellets around, EEN below, 1.25g/1h (BMC 4033ff; VA 730; S 443A); Half-Unit, two opposed crescents, rev. horse right, EN below, 0.51g/12h (BMC 4216-17; VA 736; S 443B) [2]. *About very fine (£90-120)*

Ece



- 155** UNIT, two opposed crescents on wreath, rev. horse left, daisy above, pellets around, ECE retrograde below, 1.24g/2h (BMC 4514ff; VA 766; S -). *About very fine, toned, rare (£80-100)*

PROVENANCE:

Found on Norfolk Sands



- 156** HALF-UNIT, two opposed crescents, pellets around, rev. horse left, Y above, ECE retrograde below, 0.41g/3h (BMC -; VA -; S -). *About very fine, extremely rare (£150-200)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Suffolk 1993

Saenu

- 157** UNIT, two opposed crescents on wreath, rev. horse right, pellets around, SAENV below, 1.25g/1h (BMC 4540ff; VA 770; S 446). *Good fine (£60-80)*

Michael O'Bee





I was born in Chatham, Kent, in 1955, into what was to become a large family of ten children. We moved to Killingholme, Lincolnshire, in 1958 and I went to school at nearby Immingham. Leaving there at 16 with no formal qualifications, I attended nautical college and spent a year as a deckhand on trawlers sailing out of Grimsby. From there I trained as a butcher, eventually becoming a shop manager, but after 10 years I took the plunge to become self-employed and, with the backing of my wife Lynne, we bought our own shop. Business soon became brisk and within two years we extended the property to incorporate a bakery; subsequently we built up a portfolio of several rental properties.

I first became interested in Celtic coins when I chanced upon two gentlemen metal detecting in a field near Kirmington, Lincolnshire, in the late 1970s. Their names were Alan Harrison and the late Henry Mossop, DFC. I spent some time walking alongside Alan and was surprised by his reaction when I spotted and picked up a coin from the ground, which he promptly informed me was a broken Celtic silver unit. "These are rare," he said, promptly offering me £50 for it. Such was my introduction to a fascinating world and I soon became a frequent visitor to the Harrison and Mossop homes, at Winterton and Marshchapel.

After researching the local area I had cause to be most grateful to Tom Moore, a landowner and farmer at Cabourne, near Caistor, who let me detect on his land. Over many subsequent years and numerous visits walking up and down his fields, I amassed a large number of Celtic coins. Tom often showed an interest in my finds, but I discovered his interest was far greater in the apple pies and plum bread that my wife used to bake for him. He would invite me into his farmhouse for a drink and we became good friends over the years.

At length I decided to concentrate on the Corieltauvian tribe, as it was local to the area where I live. As I acquired more and more silver coins I became particularly interested in those classed as 'South Ferriby' units – so many different types, some of them extremely rare. Later I turned my attention to the Corieltauvian gold. Henry Mossop introduced me to the late Dr Jeffrey May at Nottingham University, who recorded all my coins, and I have also enjoyed collaborating with Dr Philip de Jersey and Dr John Sills at the Celtic Coin Index in Oxford.

On my 40th birthday I suffered a heart attack – the result of long hours and hard work. Because of it Lynne and I had to bring our plans for the future forward, so in 1998 we semi-retired to our holiday home in Cyprus, handing the collection over to my son James while we both continued to add to it. Three years later we had to return to the UK following a devastating accident in which Lynne broke her back after a fall, leaving her paralysed from the waist down.

Since returning I have bought and exchanged coins in order to build up my collection, which is now the finest and most complete of the Corieltauvi ever put together. It includes the unique Cartivellaunos stater (lot 5241 in this sale), the Daninvilros stater, the finest known examples of the excessively rare Trefoil stater, the Wheel stater and the Dumnocoveros stater, and many other fine pieces. As I write, only six coins remain out of my grasp that would have completed the entire Corieltauvian series known to date.

I trust that the new owners of my coins will derive as much pleasure from them as I have. Despite having taken the decision to part with them, I will continue to write articles on the Corieltauvi and their coins, while caring for Lynne and devoting time to our grandchildren, Chloë (6) and Jamie (2).

**Michael O'Bee**  
July 2008

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## THE MICHAEL O'BEE COLLECTION OF COINS OF THE CORIELTAUVI (PART I)

### Early Uninscribed issues



- 5158** STATER, British H [North East Coast type], devolved head of Apollo, *rev.* disjointed horse right, pellets and horseshoe above, 'coffee-bean' in front and behind, pellet below, 6.27g/8h (BMC 182; VA 800.3; S 28). *Neat style, good very fine or better, rare (£600-800)*

**PROVENANCE:**

Found in Lincolnshire

CCI00.1892



- 5159** STATER, British H [North East Coast type], devolved head of Apollo, wreath with outward facing leaves, *rev.* disjointed horse right, pellets and horseshoe above, 'coffee-bean' behind, rosette below, 6.05g/2h (BMC –; VA –; S 28). *About very fine, rare (£300-400)*

**PROVENANCE:**

Found at Fillingham (Lincolnshire) November 2003

CCI03.1176



- 5160** STATER, British H [North East Coast type], devolved head of Apollo, *rev.* disjointed horse right, pellets and horseshoe above, eight-pointed star in front, rosette below, 6.05g/12h (*cf.* BMC 185; *cf.* VA 800.9; S 28). *Fine style, about extremely fine, rare (£500-700)*

**PROVENANCE:**

Found near Kirmington (Lincolnshire)

CCI96.1486





- 161** STATER, British H [North East Coast type], devolved head of Apollo, *rev.* disjointed horse right, pellets, horseshoe and 'coffee-bean' above, four-pointed spiral below neck, rosette below, 5.94g/9h (BMC 189; VA 800.11; S 28). *Good very fine or better (£500-700)*

PROVENANCE:

Found near Kirmington (Lincolnshire)

CCI 97.1309



- 162** STATER, British I [North East Coast type], devolved head of Apollo, *rev.* disjointed horse left, pellets and horseshoe above, 'coffee-bean' behind, pellets below, 6.25g/4h (cf. BMC 198; VA 805.9; S 29). *Good very fine (£500-700)*

PROVENANCE:

Found near Lincoln

CCI 03.1173



- 163** STATER, British I [North East Coast type], devolved head of Apollo, *rev.* disjointed horse left, pellets and crescent above, pellet below, 6.02g/12h (BMC –; VA –; S 29). *Lovely pale yellow gold, about extremely fine (£600-800)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Lincolnshire

CCI 02.0054



- 164** STATER, British I [North East Coast type], devolved head of Apollo, *rev.* disjointed horse left, pellets and crescent above, sunflower below, 5.90g/8h (BMC 208; VA 805.11; S 29). *About extremely fine (£600-800)*

PROVENANCE:

Found near Lincoln

CCI 03.0945

**5165** STATER, unstamped blank, probably for a North East Coast type, 6.25g (BMC –; VA –; S –). *Fine yellow gold, light scoring [adjustment marks?] on one side, very rare (£120-150)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Lincolnshire

**5166** QUARTER-STATER, unstamped blank, probably for a Lindsey Scyphate, 1.46g (BMC –; VA –; S –). *Fine yellow gold, lightly scored in places, UNIQUE (£150-200)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Lincolnshire

## Corieltauvi

### Uninscribed issues



**5167** STATER, South Ferriby type, devolved head of Apollo, rev. disjointed horse left, pellets and 'anchor' above, annulet behind, sunflower below, 5.48g/9h (cf. BMC 3146-7; cf. VA 809; S 390). *Good very fine, a very rare variety (£400-600)*

PROVENANCE:

Bt A. Gillis

CCI07.3999

Most coins of this type have a pellet behind horse; this is the only specimen known with an annulet



**5168** STATER, South Ferriby type, devolved head of Apollo, rev. disjointed horse left, crescent above, seven-pointed star in front, six-pointed star below, 5.86g/8h (BMC –; VA –; S 390). *Lovely pink gold, nearly extremely fine, an extremely rare variety (£400-500)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Ludford [Lincolnshire]

CCI05.0203



**5169** STATER, South Ferriby type, trace of design, rev. disjointed horse left, eight-pointed star below, 5.32g (cf. BMC 3173; VA 811.7; S 390). *Very fine (£250-350)*

PROVENANCE:

Found near Louth (Lincolnshire)

CCI05.0065





- 170 STATER, South Ferriby type, devolved head of Apollo, rev. disjointed horse left, 'drooping anchor' above, four-pointed star below, 5.64g/4h (BMC —; cf. VA 811.13; S 390). *Good very fine, rare (£350-450)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in N.E. Lincolnshire

CCI08.8225



- 171 STATER, South Ferriby type, trace of design, rev. disjointed horse left, cross-shaped 'anchor' above, star below, 5.35g (cf. BMC 3177; cf. VA 811.29; S 390). *Good very fine, rare, the field mark apparently unpublished (£400-500)*

PROVENANCE:

Bt C. Rudd 1997 [from K. Humberstone]

CCI03.1178



- 172 STATER, South Ferriby type, devolved head of Apollo, rev. disjointed horse left, pellets around, four-pointed star below, 5.34g/2h (BMC 3178; VA 835.1; S 390). *Good very fine or better, a rare variety (£400-500)*

PROVENANCE:

From the Driffild (Lincolnshire) Hoard, batch 6

CCI07.0336



- 5173** STATER, Wheel type, devolved head of Apollo, rev. disjointed horse left, 'anchor' above, wheel below, 5.43g/8h (BMC 3180; VA 817.1; S 391). *Good very fine, extremely rare (£1,500-2,000)*

PROVENANCE:

Found near Ludford (Lincolnshire).

CCI 07.3658

Only four specimens known, of which two are in museums



- 5174** STATER, Kite type, devolved head of Apollo, rev. disjointed horse left, 'kite' shape above, wheel in front, three-legged spiral below, 5.41g/7h (BMC –; VA 825.5; S 392). *Very fine or better, very rare, probably the finest known (£1,000-1,200)*

PROVENANCE:

From the Driffield (Lincolnshire) Hoard

CCI 07.0362.

Only nine examples known, of which two are plated cores



- 5175** STATER, Domino type, devolved head of Apollo, rev. disjointed horse left, 'domino' shape and pellet above, four-legged spiral below, 5.40g/2h (cf. BMC 3185; cf. VA 829; S 393). *Some surface scratches, otherwise good very fine, rare (£400-600)*

PROVENANCE:

From the Driffield (Lincolnshire) Hoard

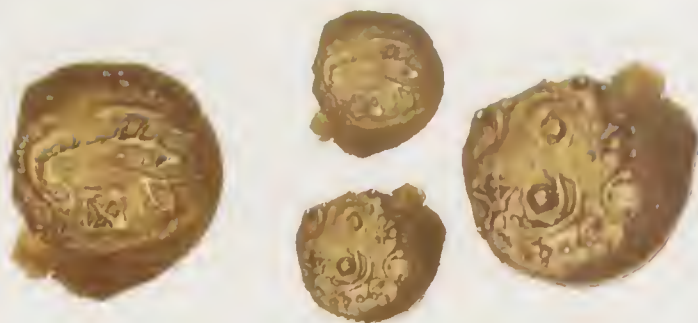
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- 5176** STATER, unstamped blank, possibly for a South Ferriby type, 5.66g (BMC –; VA –; S –). *Dark gold, a few surface marks, very rare (£90-120)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Lincolnshire





- 177 SCYPHATE QUARTER-STATER, type 1, stylised boar right, cross in box below, rev. large S symbol enclosing pellets-in-annulets, symbols in field, 1.29g/3h (BMC 3187; VA –; BNJ Coin Register 1997, 28, *this coin*; S 395). *Chipped at one edge, otherwise very fine, very rare (£300-400)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Ulceby Cross (Lincolnshire) 1992

CCI97.1349



- 178 SCYPHATE QUARTER-STATER, type 1, stylised boar, wheel below, rev. large S symbol enclosing pellets-in-annulets, pellets and crescents in field, 1.38g/2h (BMC –; VA –; S 395). *Tiny edge chip, otherwise about very fine, very rare (£600-800)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Lincolnshire

CCI95.1303



- 179 SCYPHATE QUARTER-STATER, type 2, stylised boar [?], segmented wheel below [?], rev. curved line, pellets and crescents in field, 1.35g/2h (BMC 3193; VA –; S 395). *Tiny edge split, otherwise very fine or better, very rare (£700-900)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in N. Lincolnshire 1994

CCI00.1873



- 180 UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, spear in back, large pellet-and-ring motif above, reversed S symbol below, rev. horse left, large pellet-and-ring motif above, annulet below, 1.44g/1h (BMC 3194; cf. VA 855.3, same dies; S 396). *Very fine or better, toned, very rare (£250-350)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Ulceby Cross (Lincolnshire) November 2001

CCI04.2452



- 5181** UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, spear in back, large pellet-and-ring motif above, spiral above head, S symbol below, *rev.* horse left, large pellet-and-ring motif above, pellet-in-annulet below, 1.37g/12h (BMC 3194; VA 855.3; S 396). *Very fine and very rare (£200-300)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Ludford (Lincolnshire) November 2003

CCI 03.1187



- 5182** UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, no spear in back, large pellet-and-ring motif above, pellet-in-annulet behind, S symbol below, *rev.* horse left, large pellet-and-ring motif above, pellet-in-annulet below, 1.41g/9h (cf. BMC 3194ff; cf. VA 855.5; S 396). *Good fine, very rare (£150-200)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Lincolnshire March 1994

CCI 95.1355



- 5183** UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, no spear in back, small pellet-and-ring motif above, annulet behind, W-shaped symbol in front, S symbol below, *rev.* horse left, large pellet-and-ring motif above, pellet and crescent below, 1.35g/2h (BMC 3197; VA –; S 396). *About very fine, very rare (£200-250)*

PROVENANCE:

Found near Lincoln 2001

CCI 02.0558

Only half a dozen specimens known, including the BM coin from the Mossop Sale, Glendining Auction, 6 November 1991, lot 178



- 5184** UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, no spear in back, four pellet-and-ring motifs around, pellet-in-annulet below, *rev.* horse left with long tail, large pellet-and-ring motif above, pellet-in-annulet and exergual line below, 1.32g/8h (cf. BMC 3199; VA 857.5; S 396). *Good fine, reverse better, very rare (£150-200)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Lincolnshire

CCI 95.1305





- 185 UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, no spear in back, large pellet-and-ring motif above, two pellets-in-annulets behind, nothing below, rev. horse left, large pellet-and-ring motif above, pellet-in-annulet and exergual line below, 1.43g/10h (BMC 3202; VA 855.7; S 396). *About very fine, very rare (£200-250)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Owmbly (Lincolnshire)

CCI 97.1343



- 186 UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, no spear in back, nothing above, three pellets in annulet between legs, large pellet-and-ring motif below, rev. horse left with leaf-shaped tail, large pellet-and-ring motif above, spiral above head, pellet-in-annulet below, 0.85g/6h (BMC -; VA -; S -). Reverse *slightly double-struck, otherwise very fine and lightly toned, extremely rare, only two recorded (£250-300)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Mansfield (Nottinghamshire)

CCI 01.1702.

The transposition of the large pellet-and-ring motif below the boar may be intended to differentiate the lighter weight of this issue



- 187 UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, no spear in back, large pellet-and-ring motif above, pellet-in-annulet in front and below, rev. horse left, pellets within figure 8 inside large ring above, two pellets in annulet in front, triskeles above and below, 1.35g/10h (BMC -; VA -; S -). *Small striking split, otherwise about very fine, reverse better, a very rare variety (£200-250)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Lincolnshire

CCI 97.1342.

These unusual ornaments are not shown in Van Arsdell or BMC. However, a couple of examples do appear in the CCI



- 188 UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, no spear in back, pellet-and-ring motif above, rev. horse left with front legs bent, pellet-and-ring motif above, exergual line below, 1.22g/9h (BMC -; VA -; S -). *Of less ornate, more angular style, about very fine, very rare (£200-250)*

PROVENANCE:

Found near Kirmington (Lincolnshire) October 2002

CCI 03.1193



- 5189** UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, no spear in back, pellet-in-annulets around, exergual line below, rev. horse left, wheel above, pellets-in-annulets around, 1.42g/8h (BMC –; VA –; S 396). *About very fine, reverse better, toned, an extremely rare variety (£300-400)*

PROVENANCE:

Found near Lincoln 2000

CCI 00.1880.

The so-called 'Wheel' type is only listed in Van Arsdell and *BMC* with horse facing right. Only three examples with horse left are listed in the CCI, of which the present specimen is one



- 5190** UNIT, 'Crown Boar' type, boar right, no spear in back, two arched pellet lines above, two pellets in annulets in front and behind, rev. horse left, two pellets in ring and beaded crescent above, voided triskele in front, pellet-in-annulet below, 1.47g/9h (*cf.* BMC 3213; *cf.* VA 864.1; S 396). *Lovely style, about extremely fine and toned, very rare (£250-300)*

PROVENANCE:

Found near Kirmington (Lincolnshire) 1997

CCI 97.1313



- 5191** UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, no spear in back, pellet-in-annulet above, in front and below, rev. horse right, pellets-in-annulet above, in front and below, 1.16g/6h (BMC 3214ff; VA 875; S 397). *Tiny edge chip, otherwise about very fine, toned (£80-100)*

PROVENANCE:

Bl M. Vosper 1999

CCI 98.2103

- 5192** UNITS (2), both Boar/Horse type, boar right, no spear in back, two pellets-in-annulet above, pellet-in-annulet behind, revs. horse right, two pellets-in-annulet above, annulet below, 1.18g/6h, 0.88g/8h (BMC 3214ff; VA 875; S 397) [2]. *First about very fine, second about fine but chipped (£60-80)*

PROVENANCE:

Both found in Lincolnshire

CCI 96.1404, 95.1323







- 5193 UNITS (2), both Boar/Horse type, boar right, no spear in back, pellet-in-annulets around, revs. horse right, pellet-in-annulets around, 1.32g/6h, 1.16g/9h (BMC 3214ff; VA 875; S 397) [2]. *First about very fine, second about fine but chipped* (£60-80)

PROVENANCE:

Both found at Rothwell Top, near Caistor (Lincolnshire)

CCI \*96.1405, 95.1338



- 5194 UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, no spear in back, annulet below, rev. horse right, pellets-in-annulet above, nothing below, 1.25g/4h (BMC 3214ff; VA 877; S 397). *About very fine* (£70-90)

PROVENANCE:

Found in Lincolnshire

CCI 96.1406



- 5195 UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, no spear in back, annulet behind and below, rev. horse right, annulet below, 1.25g/10h (BMC –; VA –; S 397). *Very fine, a very rare variety* (£90-120)

PROVENANCE:

Found near Wragby (Lincolnshire)

CCI 03.1192



- 5196 UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right with claw feet, exergual line below, rev. horse right, pellet-and-ring above, 1.23g/4h (BMC –; VA –; S 397). *Very fine or better* (£80-100)

PROVENANCE:

Found at Rothwell Top, near Caistor (Lincolnshire) February 1991

CCI 95.1354



- 5197** UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, pellet-in-annulet in front, rev. horse right on exergual line, line behind, pellet-in-annulet below, 1.23g/10h (BMC –; VA –; S 397). *Good fine, reverse better, only one known (£100-150)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Binbrook (Lincolnshire) 2000  
CCI 04.2447.

The vendor believes the lines might extend to all four sides of the reverse, giving a 'horse-in-a-box' type

- 5198** UNITS (5), all Boar/Horse type, boar right, no spear in back, pellet-and-ring above, pellet behind, revs. horse right, pellet-and-ring above, nothing below, 1.20g/3h, 1.17g/9h, 1.16g/6h, 1.05g/6h, 1.04g/6h (BMC 3214ff; VA 877; S 397-8) [5]. *First about very fine, others in varied state (£120-150)*

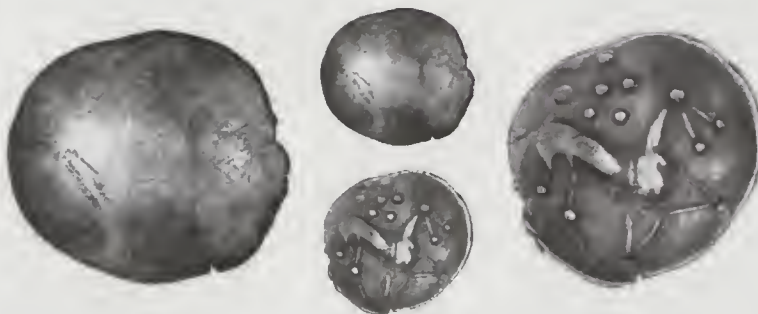
PROVENANCE:

First found at Weelsby Wood, near Grimsby (Lincolnshire), 2005  
Others found at Rothwell Top, near Caistor (Lincolnshire) 1994  
CCI 95.1333, 95.1335, 96.1408, 95.1332

- 5199** UNITS (3), all Boar/Horse type, trace of design, revs. horse right, pellet-and-ring above, nothing below, 1.33g, 0.95g, 0.88g (BMC 3214ff; VA 877; S 398) [3]. *First about very fine, others fine or better, second chipped (£120-150)*

PROVENANCE:

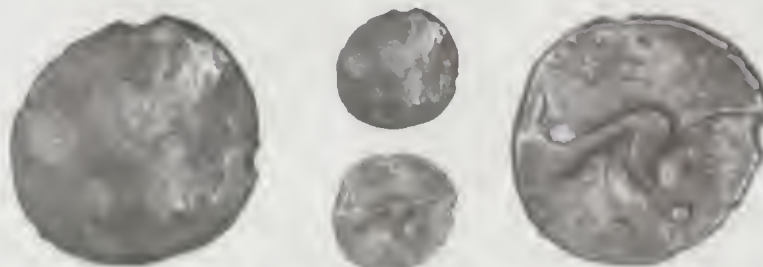
All found at Rothwell Top, near Caistor (Lincolnshire) 1996  
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- 5200** UNIT, Boar/Horse type, blank, rev. horse right, pellet-and-ring above, 1.01g/4h (BMC 3214ff; VA 884; S 398). *Very fine, attractive (£80-100)*

PROVENANCE:

Found near Kirmington (Lincolnshire) March 2002

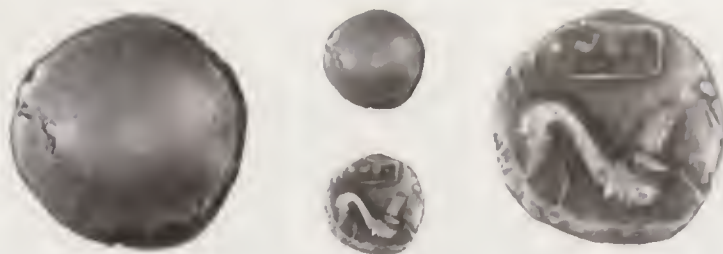


- 5201** UNIT, Kite type, trace of design, rev. horse left, four pellets within 'kite' shape above, 0.92g (BMC –; VA –; S –). *Fine, very rare (£100-150)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Rothwell Top, near Caistor (Lincolnshire)  
CCI 95.1377





- 5202 UNIT, Domino type, blank, rev. horse left, four pellets within 'domino' shape above, 0.80g (BMC 3233; VA –; S –). *Good fine, very rare (£100-150)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Horncastle (Lincolnshire) February 2002

CCI 04.2441

- 5203 UNITS (2), both unstamped blanks, probably for Boar/Horse type, 1.24g, 0.82g (BMC –; VA –; S –) [2]. *Slightly base, some surface marks, very rare (£120-150)*

PROVENANCE:

First found at Owmbly (Lincolnshire), bt A. Gillis

- 5204 HALF-UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar left, pellet-in-annulet and exergual line below, rev. horse left, pellet-and-ring above, pellet behind, 0.49g/11h (BMC 3238-9; VA –; S 399). *Good fine, scarce (£60-80)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Lincolnshire

CCI 97.1337

- 5205 HALF-UNITS (2), both Boar/Horse type, trace of design, revs. horse left, pellet-and-ring above, 0.49g, 0.42g (BMC 3240-3; VA –; S 399) [2]. *Good fine, scarce (£80-100)*

PROVENANCE:

Both found at Rothwell Top, near Caistor (Lincolnshire)

CCI 95.1422, 97.1324



- 5206 HALF-UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, pellet-in-annulet in front and below, rev. horse kneeling left, pellet-in-annulet above, leaf in front, 0.52g/12h (BMC –; VA –; S –). *About very fine, possibly the only known specimen (£250-300)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Kings Lynn (Norfolk)

bt M. Vosper

CCI 08.8576



- 5207 HALF-UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, four-spoked wheel above, pellet-in-annulet behind, rev. horse right, four-spoked wheel above, 0.64g/6h (BMC 3244; VA 862.1; S 399). *About very fine, very rare (£90-120)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Caistor (Lincolnshire) 1996

bt M. Vosper

CCI 97.1335



- 5208** HALF-UNIT, Kite type, trace of design, rev. horse left, four pellets in 'kite' shape above, 0.48g (BMC 3246; VA 889.1; S –). *Traces of verdigris, otherwise about very fine, very rare (£90-120)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Rothwell Top, near Caistor (Lincolnshire) April 2007

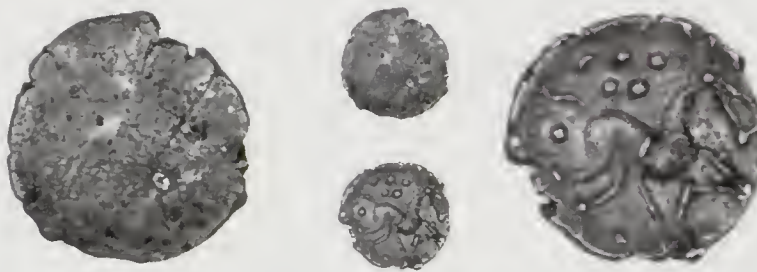
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- 5209** HALF-UNIT, Kite type, trace of design, rev. horse left, 'kite' shape above, 0.36g (BMC 3248; VA 889.7; S –). *Slightly chipped, otherwise good fine, very rare (£80-100)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Dragonby (Lincolnshire)

CCI 03.1507



- 5210** HALF-UNIT, Boar/Horse type, trace of design, rev. horse right, pellet-and-ring above, pellets below, 0.40g (BMC 3251-5; VA 879; S 399). *About very fine (£70-90)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Rothwell Top, near Caistor (Lincolnshire)

CCI 97.1329



- 5211** HALF-UNIT, Boar/Horse type, trace of design, rev. horse right, pellet-and-ring above, pellet behind, 0.56g (BMC –; VA –; S 399). *Surfaces slightly porous, otherwise about very fine, nice style (£70-90)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Dragonby (Lincolnshire) January 1970

CCI 73.0092

- 5212** HALF-UNITS (2), both Boar/Horse type, trace of design, rev. horse right, pellet-and-ring above, 0.52g, 0.48g (BMC 3251-5; VA 879; S 399) [2]. *Good fine (£80-100)*

PROVENANCE:

Both found at Rothwell Top, near Caistor (Lincolnshire) August-September 1995

CCI 95.1425, 95.1426





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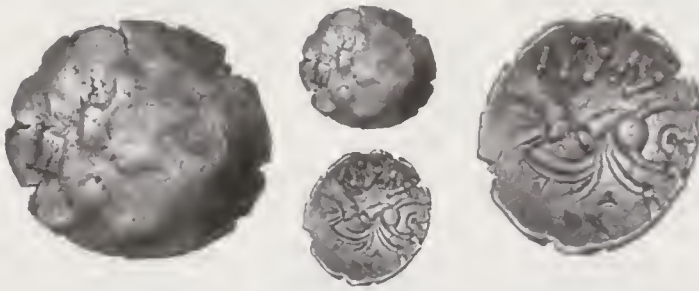


- 5213** STATER, cruciform wreath design with rosettes in angles, *rev.* disjointed horse left, AVN above, question-mark symbol behind, [COS]T below, 5.07g/10h (BMC 3258; VA 910; S 402). *Obverse design weak, otherwise better than very fine, a much under-rated rarity (£900-1,200)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Lincolnshire

CCI03.1181

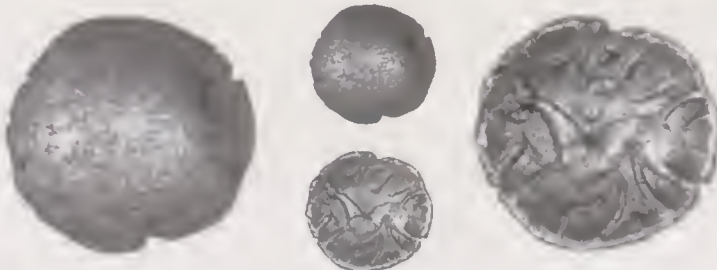


- 5214** UNIT, vestige of wreath, *rev.* horse left, AVN above, question-mark symbol behind, CO below, 1.15g/2h (BMC –; VA –; S 403). *Obverse weakly struck as usual, otherwise very fine or better, very rare (£90-120)*

CCI pending



- 5215** UNIT, vestige of wreath, *rev.* horse left, ANS above, 1.22g (BMC –; VA –; S 403). *On a small flan, about very fine, an extremely rare variety (£90-120)*



- 5216** UNIT, blank, *rev.* horse left, NN above, 0.97g (BMC –; VA –; S 403). *On a small flan, about very fine, a very rare variety (£70-90)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Lincolnshire

CCI00.1874

A specimen from the same dies was present in the Market Harborough (Leicestershire) hoard, 2002



- 5217** UNIT, CATV[S]CNAV between three lines, ear of barley below, *rev.* horse left, AVI and pellet above, trefoil below, 1.19g/10h (BMC –; VA –; S –). *About very fine, reverse better, extremely rare (£700-900)*

CCI 03.1196.

Although unpublished in the main catalogues, a few examples similar to this and the next lot are noted on the CCI; five are recorded in the Market Harborough (Leicestershire) hoard, 2002



- 5218** UNIT, VANA AVNV between three lines, leaves above and below, *rev.* horse left, AVN and pellet above, curved T shape below, 1.13g/4h (BMC –; VA –; S –). *About very fine, reverse better, extremely rare (£500-700)*

CCI 04.1224



- 5219** HALF-UNIT, vestige of wreath, *rev.* horse left, AVN and pellet above, CO and trefoil below, 0.41g/12h (BMC 3267-8; VA 918.1; S 404). *Very fine, rare (£80-100)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Kirmond-le-Mire (Lincolnshire)

CCI 02.0561

Esvp Rasv



- 5220** STATER, cruciform wreath design with rosettes in angles, *rev.* disjointed horse left, [ES]VP above, P[Λ]SV below, 5.44g/12h (BMC 3269; VA 920; S 405). *Weakly struck on obverse, otherwise good very fine, very rare (£1,000-1,200)*

PROVENANCE:

Found near Malton (N. Yorkshire) September 1995

C. Rudd IPI 20, December 1995 (14)

CCI 95.3902





- 5221** BASE GOLD STATER [or bronze core], cruciform wreath design with rosettes in angles, *rev.* disjointed horse left, ISVP above, [retrograde R]ASV below, 5.00g/3h (BMC 3271; VA 920; *cf.* S 405). *Slight edge chip, otherwise about very fine, rare (£200-300)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Lincolnshire

CCI 00.1875.

Although extremely dark in colour, there may be traces of gold below the black surface. The weight, at 5.00g, is also heavier than the usual base metal core

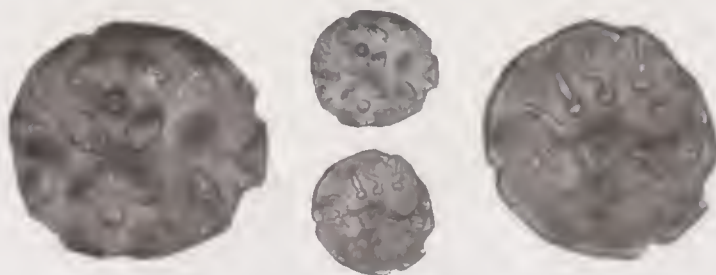


- 5222** UNIT, cruciform wreath design, pellets in angles, *rev.* horse right, ISVP above, trefoil of pellets in front, RA[SV] below, 1.08g/2h (*cf.* BMC 3272; *cf.* VA 924; S 406). *Obverse weakly struck, otherwise very fine and very rare (£180-220)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Ulceby Cross (Lincolnshire) 2001

CCI 01.1695



- 5223** UNIT, cruciform wreath design, crosses in angles, *rev.* horse right, ISV[P] above, star behind [RASV] below, 1.09g/9h (*cf.* BMC 3272; VA 924; S 406). *Good fine, reverse better, very rare (£150-200)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Lincolnshire January 1994

CCI 95.1360

This specimen shows only one i rather than the normal two in ISVP

Vep



- 5224 STATER, devolved head of Apollo, rev. disjointed horse left, VEP above, pellets in front, six-pointed star below, 5.32g/10h (BMC 3274; VA 905.1; BNJ Coin Register 1997, 33, *this coin*; S 407). *Obverse somewhat weak, otherwise good very fine, very rare (£1000-1200)*

CCI 97.2336.

Six gold staters are known, of which three are in museums; six bronze cores are known, of which four are in museums



- 5225 UNIT, trace of design, rev. horse right, VEP above, trefoil of pellets behind and below, 1.09g (BMC 3277; VA 963.1; S 408). *Good very fine, dark tone (£100-150)*

PROVENANCE:

Found near Stenigot (Lincolnshire) March 2003

CCI 03.1511



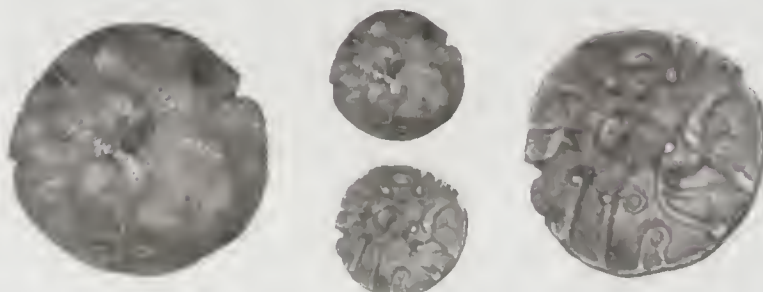
- 5226 UNIT, trace of design, rev. horse right, VEP above, trefoil of pellets behind, reversed R below, 1.02g (BMC 3279; VA 965.1; S 408). *Very fine (£90-120)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Sleaford (Lincolnshire) 1996

bt M. Vosper

CCI 97.1320



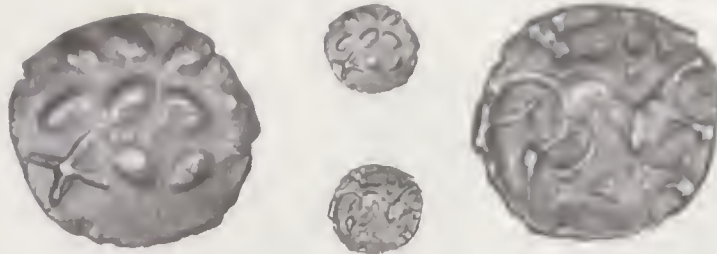
- 5227 UNIT, trace of design, rev. horse right, VEP above, six-pointed star behind, OR below, 0.80g (BMC 3305; VA 969; S 408). *About very fine (£90-120)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Ulceby Cross (Lincolnshire)

CCI 97.1321





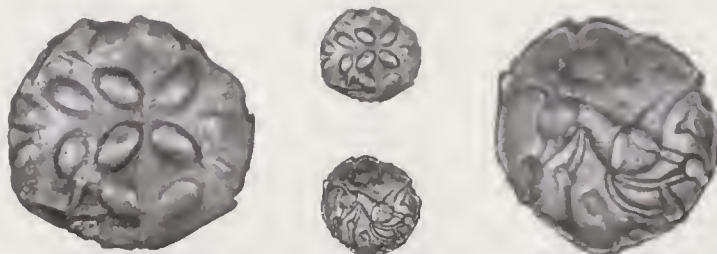
- 5228 HALF-UNIT, wreath, rev. horse right, VEP and pellet above, five-pointed star behind, 0.45g/1h (BMC –; cf. VA 938.1; S 409). *Very fine and toned, a very rare variety (£90-120)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Kirmond-le-Mire (Lincolnshire)

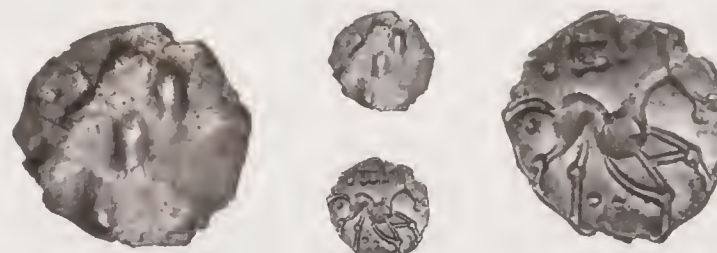
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Star behind horse not listed in BMC or Van Arsdell



- 5229 HALF-UNIT, wreath, rev. horse right, VEP above, O[R]? below, 0.46g/10h (BMC 3283ff; cf. VA 967; S 409). *About very fine (£70-90)*

CCI 08.8595

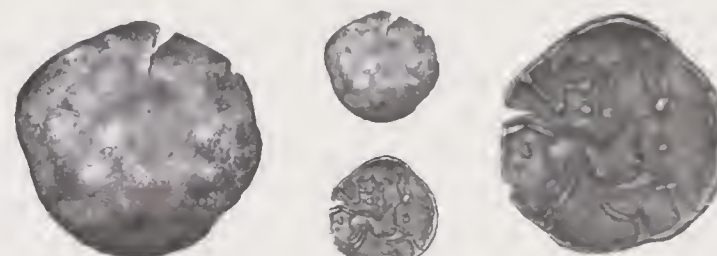


- 5230 HALF-UNIT, vestige of wreath, rev. horse right, VEP above, pellet behind, three pellets below, 0.42g/2h (BMC 3284; VA 963; S 409). *Tiny chip on edge, otherwise good very fine (£80-100)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at Candlesby (Lincolnshire)

CCI 06.0209



- 5231 HALF-UNIT, vestige of wreath, rev. horse right, VEP above, pellet in front and behind, 0.45g/12h (BMC –; VA –; S 409). *Tiny edge split, otherwise very fine or better (£70-90)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Lincolnshire 1995

CCI 95.1120

- 5232 HALF-UNITS (2), wreath, revs. horse right, VEP retrograde above, 0.45g/12h, 0.36g/9h (cf. BMC 3321; VA –; S 409) [2]. *Good fine or better, both chipped, very rare (£60-80)*

PROVENANCE:

Second found near Lincoln

CCI 03.1512

## Vep Corf



- 5233** BASE GOLD STATER, cruciform wreath design with crosses and rosettes in angles, rev. disjointed horse left, VEP above, six-pointed star behind, [CO]RF below, 4.83g/12h (BMC 3297; cf. VA 930.1; S 410). *Slight edge split, otherwise very fine, reverse better, very rare (£1,200-1,500)*

## PROVENANCE:

Found at Ulceby Cross (Lincolnshire)

CCI03.1180



- 5234** HALF-UNIT, wreath, rev. horse right, VEP above, CO below, 0.56g/10h (BMC –; VA 938.1; S 413). *Good very fine or better, very rare (£100-150)*

CCI08.8592



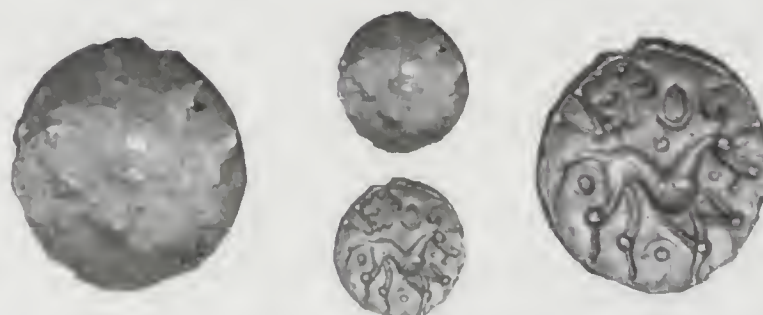
- 5235** MINIM, two teardrop shapes containing pellets, pellet-in-annulet above and below, rev. horse right, VEP monogram above, trefoil behind, c below, 0.26g/2h (BMC –; VA –; S –). *Very fine and extremely rare (£200-300)*

## PROVENANCE:

C. Rudd FPL 38, November 1998 (44), where stated 'only five recorded'

CCI98.1984

## Vepoc



- 5236** UNIT, trace of design, rev. horse right, VEP above, pellets around, 1.23g (BMC 3310; VA 955.1; S 411). *Very fine or better (£120-150)*

## PROVENANCE:

Found near Lincoln 1999

CCI08.8585







5237 UNIT, similar, 1.13g (BMC 3310; VA 955.1; S 411). *About very fine* (£90-120)

PROVENANCE:

Found near Wragby (Lincolnshire)

CCI03.1509

Dvmno Tigr Seno



5238 STATER, DVM[NO] across wreath, wheels and rosettes in alternate angles, rev. horse left, trefoil of pellets under neck, TIGIR above, [SE]NO below, 5.47g/3h (BMC 3325; VA 972.1; S 414). *Well struck, about extremely fine, very rare* (£1,200-1,500)

PROVENANCE:

Found in N. Yorkshire

CCI02.0056

Volisios Dvmnocoveros



5239 UNIT, wreath, VOLISIOS between three lines, rev. horse left, pellet behind, DVMNOC[O] around, 1.27g/7h (BMC 3339; VA 980.1; S 417). *Very fine, dark patina, extremely rare, probably the finest known* (£600-800)

PROVENANCE:

Found at Winteringham (Lincolnshire) 1973

bt A. Harrison

CCI74.0026.

Five specimens known, including one in the British Museum. This specimen is illustrated by Mack, 1975, pl.xxxiii, 463a

Volisios Dvmnovellaunos



5240 HALF-UNIT, wreath, VOLISIOS between three lines, rev. horse right, DVM above, N in front, pellet behind and below, 0.44g/7h (cf. BMC 3345; cf. VA 992.1; S 418). *Good fine, reverse better, extremely rare* (£300-400)

PROVENANCE:

Found in N. Yorkshire

CCI07.0183.

Eleven examples recorded in the Market Harborough (Leicestershire) hoard, 2002

Volisios Cartivellaunos



- 5241 STATER, VOL[IS]IO[S] between three lines across wreath, *rev.* stylised horse left, trefoil of pellets below head, CARTI[VE]LLAVNOS around, 5.38g/3h (BMC –; VA 993.1; SNC October 2006, p.268, fig. 3 and 4, *this coin*; S –). *Pink, coppery gold, about extremely fine with lovely surfaces, UNIQUE (£6,000-8,000)*

PROVENANCE:

Found near Malton (N. Yorkshire) 1999

CCI 99.0827.

Illustrated on the front cover. The first coin to reveal the full reverse reading of Cartivellaunos, finally refuting the previous attribution, which had been taken from silver units reading CARTI, to the Brigantian queen Cartimandua





## CELTIC COINS FROM OTHER PROPERTIES

### Ring Money



- 5242** GOLD, c. 1150-700 BC, small, plain solid band of metal with blunt ends, 13.06g (VA 1-3; cf. LaRiviere lot 2). *Very fine or better, a heavy example of what van Arsdell describes as a very rare type (£1,200-1,500)*

**PROVENANCE:**

Found in Buckinghamshire c. 1985

F.R. Künker Auktion 110 (Osnabrück), 16-18 March 2006, lot 6003



- 5243** GOLD, first millennium BC, plain solid band of metal with blunt ends, almost touching, 2.07g (VA 1-3; cf. LaRiviere lot 2). *About very fine and very rare (£250-300)*

### Gallo-Belgic issues



- 5244** STATER, series A [Ambiani], laureate head of Apollo left, rev. horse left, pellets and crescents above, rosette below, 7.30g/2h (VA 12; S 2). *Small part of edge bent, otherwise fine (£600-800)*

**PROVENANCE:**

with Seaby 1964

Freeman & Sear Mailbid Sale 4, 14 January 1998 (7)



- 5245** STATER, series E [Ambiani], trace of pattern, rev. disjointed horse right, pellet above, eye and pellets in front, pellet below, 6.10g (VA 52; S 11). *Good very fine (£250-300)*

- 5246** QUARTER-STATER, series A [Ambiani], laureate head of Apollo right, rev. horse right, pellets around, 1.62g (VA 15; S 6). *Fair (£60-80)*

CCI04.2438

Early Uninscribed issues



- 5247 STATER, British B [Chute type], degraded head of Apollo right, rev. horse left, pellets above, crab-like object below, zig-zag and pellets below curved exergual line (BMC 62ff; VA 1205; S 22). *Better than very fine (£250-350)*



- 5248 BASE GOLD STATER, British J [Norfolk Wolf type], degraded head of Apollo right, rev. crude wolf left, crescent above, pellets around, 5.41g/12h (BMC 222; VA 610.3; S 31). *Traces of verdigris, otherwise very fine (£300-400)*

PROVENANCE:

Bt C. Rudd



- 5249 STATER, British L [Climping type], wreath over cruciform pattern, rev. horse left, bird-like objects above and in front, large pellet and crecent below (BMC –; VA –; S 33A). *Slightly flat at one edge, otherwise very fine or better, very rare (£1,200-1,500)*

PROVENANCE:

From the Climping (W. Sussex) Hoard 2002

CCI04.2111



- 5250 BASE GOLD STATER, British Mb [Savernake Forest type], blank, rev. horse right, clockwise spiral above, pellets around, wheel below, 4.41g (BMC 361-4; VA 1526; S 37). *Very fine or better, scarce with the clockwise spiral (£400-500)*





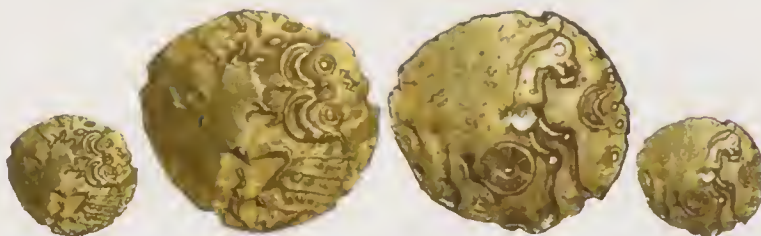
- 5251 STATER, British Qb [Remic type], *obv.* blank, *rev.* triple-tailed horse right, wheel below, 5.80g (BMC 461ff; VA 216; S 39). *About very fine* (£250-350)

PROVENANCE:

Found at Eldersfield (Worcestershire)



- 5252 QUARTER-STATER, British O [Geometric type], crescent with two appendages, *rev.* geometric pattern with tree, 1.46g/9h (BMC 414ff; VA 69.1; S 46). *Good very fine* (£90-120)



- 5253 QUARTER-STATER, British Qc [Remic type], degraded head of Apollo, *rev.* triple-tailed horse right, spoked wheel below, 1.35g/4h (BMC 493, same dies; VA 222.1; S 48). *Flat in places, otherwise about very fine, rare* (£150-180)

PROVENANCE:

Found at Chichester (W. Sussex) 1995

## Atrebates and Regni

Verica



- 5254 STATER, COM F on tablet, *rev.* lancer right, VIR behind, REX below, 5.36g/12h (BMC 1155-8; VA 500; S 120). *Very fine* (£400-500)

Trinovantes

Addedomaros



- 5255 QUARTER-STATER, circular flower pattern, rev. horse right, pellet-in-annulets around, 1.33g (BMC 2416; VA 1608; S 203). *Very fine, rare (£300-400)*

CCI04.2291

Catuvellauni

Tasciovanus



- 5256 STATER, two crescents divided by three pellets back-to-back in centre of wreath pattern, rev. horseman with carnyx right, four-spoked wheel in front, TASC around, pellet-in-annulet in exergue, 5.25g/2h (BMC 1620-2; VA 1730.5; S 217). *A few surface marks, otherwise good very fine or better (£700-900)*



- 5257 STATER, TASCIO RICON in two lines within panel over wreath, rev. mounted, helmeted warrior charging left, holding sword and shield, annulet in front, pellet-in-annulet below, 5.46g/9h (BMC 1629-33; VA 1780.5; S 219). *Lovely yellow gold, good very fine or better, very rare (£1,500-2,000)*

PROVENANCE:

Bt C. Brown 2004

CCI04.2109.

Illustrated on the back cover



- 5258 QUARTER-STATER, two crescents back-to-back across cruciform wreath pattern, petals in angles, rev. horse left, symbols around, TASC below, 1.33g/12h (cf. BMC 1651-3; cf. VA -; cf. S 221). *Obverse a little off-centre, otherwise very fine, very rare (£250-300)*

CCI04.2293.

The pairing of this obverse and reverse type is not published in BMC or Van Arsdell





**5259** UNIT, eagle standing left, TASCIO around, rev. griffin right, pellet-in-annulet in front, trefoil of pellets below, 1.22g/11h (BMC 1658-9; VA 1792; S 232). *About very fine, reverse better, very rare (£200-300)*

PROVENANCE:

Found at St Albans (Hertfordshire) 2001

CCI 04.0412.

Only six specimens are recorded with this legend variety

Dias



**5260** UNIT, eight-pointed star, DIAS on tablet in centre, C above, O below, rev. horse left, crescent above, trefoil in front, VIR below, 1.25g/4h (BMC 1683; VA 1877; S 268). *Good very fine, very rare (£300-400)*

PROVENANCE:

M. Rich Collection

CCI 93.0981.

Dias is probably an abbreviation of the Celtic name Diasulos

Cunobelin



**5261** STATER, Wild type, ear of barley dividing CAMV, rev. horse prancing right, branch and small eight-pointed star above, pellet-in-annulet and CVNO below, 5.38g/12h (BMC 1804-8; VA 1933.3; S 283). *Well-centred, about very fine, reverse better (£400-600)*

CCI 04.2437



- 5262** STATER, Plastic type, ear of barley dividing CAMV, rev. horse prancing right, branch above, pellets above, in front and behind, pellet-in-annulet and CVNO below, 5.42g/1h (BMC 1809-11; VA 2010.1; S 286). *About very fine, very rare (£500-700)*

PROVENANCE:

C. Rudd FPL 56, March 2001 (73)

D. Scott Collection

CCI 95.0675.

Only six coins recorded from this pair of dies [Aa]



- 5263** STATER, Classic type, ear of barley dividing CAMV, rev. horse prancing right, branch above, CVNO below, 5.50g/12h (BMC 1827-31; VA 2027; S 288). *Well-centred and nicely struck, about extremely fine, rare (£1,000-1,200)*

PROVENANCE:

Bt C. Brown 2004

CCI 04.2108



- 5264** QUARTER-STATER, Biga type, CAMVL (central letters in monogram) in panel over wreath, rev. two horses prancing left, large leaf above, pellet-in-annulet below, 1.27g/10h (BMC 1836; VA 1913; S 290). *Good very fine, rare (£400-500)*

PROVENANCE:

DNW Auction 63, 7 October 2004, lot 190



- 5265** QUARTER-STATER, Plastic type, ear of barley dividing [C]AMV, rev. horse right, branch and trefoil of pellets above, CVN below, 1.40g/1h (BMC 1846-7; VA 2015; S 294). *Obverse a little weak, otherwise better than very fine (£250-300)*

CCI 04.2292

- 5266** BRONZE, bearded head of Jupiter Ammon right, rev. lion crouching right, CAMV in panel below, 2.15g/12h (BMC 1991 7; VA 2107; S 347); together with other Celtic coins (3), including a plated Quarter-Stater [4]. *Varied state; mostly identified on tickets (£40-60)*



Epatiecus

5267 UNIT, head of Hercules right, IPATH in front, pellet-in-annulet behind, rev. eagle standing on snake, pellet-in-annulet above, 1.12g/6h (BMC 2024ff; VA 580; S 356). *About very fine, reverse better (£60-80)*

Durotriges

Uninscribed issues



5268 BASE SILVER STATER, Badbury Rings type, disjointed head of Apollo, rev. disjointed horse left, pellet-in-annulet above, 'coffee bean' behind, 4.59g/3h (BMC 2728ff; VA 1246; S -). *Surfaces rather porous, otherwise about very fine, rare (£100-150)*

PROVENANCE:  
C. King Collection  
CCI 96.3553



5269 BRONZE, Hengistbury 'Seven Seven Ten' type, central forked line with seven pellets either side, rev. ten pellets in three rows, 2.50g (BMC 2924-30; VA 1345; S 372). *Good very fine, dark green patina (£120-150)*

Dobunni

Uninscribed issues



5270 UNIT, Danebury Crescent type, pellet-in-annulet between crescents over wreath, symbols in angles, rev. annuleted horse left, pellets around, six pellets in annulet below, 0.83g/12h (BMC -; VA -; S -). *About very fine, extremely rare (£300-400)*

PROVENANCE:  
C. Rudd FPL 43, June 1999 (18)  
'Warwick' Collection  
CCI 98.1971.

Only two other specimens recorded, both from the same pair of dies. For one of the other two, see C. Rudd FPL 38, November 1998 (23)

## Catti



**5271** STATER, Dobunnic leaf emblem, rev. triple-tailed horse right, wheel below, CATTI above, 5.33g/4h (BMC 3057; VA 1130-1; S 384). *Almost very fine* (£700-900)

**PROVENANCE:**

Found at Fifehead Neville (Dorset) 2004

CCI 04.0099.

Sold with relevant paperwork from Philip de Jersey

## Corio



**5272** STATER, Dobunnic leaf emblem, rev. triple-tailed horse right, wheel below, CORIO above, 5.55g/11h (BMC 3117ff; VA 1035; S 386). *About very fine* (£600-800)

**PROVENANCE:**

Found at Deerhurst (Gloucestershire)

## Corieltauvi

### Uninscribed issues



**5273** STATER, South Ferriby type, devolved head of Apollo, rev. disjointed horse left, 'anchor' above, eight-pointed star below, 5.71g/5h (BMC 3152-66; VA 811.5ff; S 390). *Good very fine, rare* (£350-450)



**5274** BASE GOLD STATER, South Ferriby type, devolved head of Apollo, rev. disjointed horse left, 'anchor' above, eight-pointed star below, 4.86g/5h (BMC 3152-66; VA 811.5ff; S 390). *Very fine or better* (£250-300)



## Volisios Dymnocoveros



- 5275** STATER, VOL[I]SIO[S] within three lines across wreath, rev. horse left, trefoil of pellets under neck, DVMNOCOVER[OS] around, 5.22g/4h (BMC 3330ff; VA 978; S 416). *Almost fully legible, about extremely fine and very rare (£1,000-1,200)*

CCI03.0850

## Iceni

### Uninscribed issues



- 5276** QUARTER-STATER, Irstead type, latticed box, wreaths at sides, rev. horse right, crecent and annulets above, broken annulet below, 1.07g/4h (BMC 3436; VA 628; S 430). *Good fine to very fine, rare (£300-350)*



- 5277** UNIT, Bury type, female head left, wearing crown, animal in front, rev. horse left, pellet-in-ring and wheel above, pellet-in-ring below, 1.41g/1h (BMC 3524-7; VA 80; S 432). *About very fine, rare (£90-120)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Norfolk



- 5278** UNIT, Early Face/Horse type, Celtic head right, two pellet-in-rings in front, rev. horse right, pellet-in-ring above, ear of corn below, 1.15g/4h (cf. BMC 3539ff; cf. VA 665; S 433). *On a slightly scyphate flan, about very fine and very rare, the variety not represented in the BM collection (£150-200)*

- 5279** HALF-UNIT, Boar/Horse type, boar right, ring and pellet below, rev. annular horse right, rosette of pellets above, 0.50g/9h (BMC 3513ff; VA 661; S 437). *Good fine, very rare (£40-60)*

PROVENANCE:

'Cotswold' Collection

bt C. Rudd

### Anted

- 5280** UNIT, two opposed crescents on wreath, rev. horse right, pellet in front, six pellets and ANTED monogram below, 0.86g/3h (BMC 3858; VA 711; S 441). *About very fine (£40-60)*

Ecen

- 5281** HALF-UNIT, two opposed crescents, pellets around, rev. horse right, pellets around, no monogram below, 0.52g/1h (BMC 4216; VA 744; S 443B). *Very fine or better, a rare variety (£60-80)*

PROVENANCE:

'Cotswold' Collection

bt C. Rudd

Ece



- 5282** HALF-UNIT, two opposed crescents, pellets around, rev. horse right, pellets around, ECE retrograde below, 0.34g/3h (BMC –; VA –; S –). *About very fine, extremely rare (£120-150)*

PROVENANCE:

Found in Cambridgeshire

bt Granta Coins.

In 2002, Chris Rudd believed this to be only the second-known specimen, the other being CCI 93.0996; a letter to this effect is sold with the lot

## Numismatic Books

- 5283** FORRER, R., *Keltische Numismatik der Rhein- und Donaulande*, Band 1, the 1968 Graz reprint, 373pp, 48 plates + map, dj; BRENOT, C., and SCHEERS, Simone, *Les Monnaies Massaliètes et Les Monnaies Celtiques*, Leuven, 1996, xviii + 182pp, 44 plates, dj [2]. *Fine and clean (£40-50)*
- 5284** VAN ARSDELL, R.D., *Celtic Coinage of Britain*, London, 1989, xvi + 584pp, 54 plates, dj. *A very fine copy with a clean dj (£120-150)*

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A Collection of South African Tokens  
A Collection of Coins of the West Indies, the property of a Gentleman  
Important Early Coins of the United States of America

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**Thursday and Friday, 25 and 26 September**

### **Orders, Decorations, Medals and Militaria**

Including Life Saving Awards from the Collection of the late W.H. Fevyer  
Imperial Long Service Medals from the Collection of John Tamplin  
The Collection of Medals relating to Perak and Malaya formed by Richard Schweder  
A Collection of Medals to the 20th Battalion, London Regiment  
Further Buttons from the J.R. Gaunt & Son Ltd Pattern Book Archive, circa 1820-1920

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**Monday, 29 September**

### **The 2008 COINEX Auction III – Important Ancient Coins and Numismatic Books**

Including a Collection of Coins of Damascus

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**Thursday, 2 October**

### **The Important Collection of Irish Paper Money formed by Bob Blake (Part I)**

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**Thursday, 2 October**

### **Important British and World Paper Money**

Including A Collection of Scottish Banknotes, the property of a Lady  
The Union Bank of Scotland Collection (Part III: Final)

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**Auctions of British Trade Tokens, Tickets and Passes and British and World Coins are in active preparation.  
Updates will be provided on the DNW website.**

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The dates given above are provisional and correct at the time of this catalogue going to press.

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To consign material to our auctions, please call any of the DNW team on (+44) 020 7016 1700

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR BUYERS

### Absentee Bids

If instructed we will execute bids and advise intending purchasers. No charge is made for this service. Lots will always be bought as cheaply as is allowed by such other bids and reserves as are on our books. In the event of identical bids, the earliest will take precedence. Always indicate a 'top limit' – the amount to which you would bid if you were attending the auction yourself. 'Buy' or unlimited bids will not be accepted.

**All bids must be confirmed in writing, by fax or e-mail and should be received by 6pm GMT on the day before the auction. Although we will endeavour to execute all late bids, Dix Noonan Webb cannot accept responsibility for any bids received on the day of the auction itself.**

### Commission Form

Further advice to bidders and purchasers may be found on the commission form included with this catalogue. Please use this form when sending bids to us.

### Buyers' Premium

**A buyers' premium on the hammer price (plus VAT if resident in the European Union) is payable by the buyer of all lots. For coins, tokens, orders, decorations, war medals and banknotes this is 15 per cent; for historical and art medals, 17.5 per cent; for militaria, cabinets and numismatic books, 20 per cent.**

### Pre-sale Estimates

The pre-sale estimates are intended as a guide for prospective purchasers. Any bid between the listed figures would, in our opinion, offer a fair chance of success. However all lots, depending on the degree of competition, can realise prices either above or below the listed estimates.

### Methods of Payment

**All payments must be made in pounds sterling.** Payment may be made by transfer direct to Dix Noonan Webb's account at:

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Please include your name, account number and invoice number with the instructions to the bank.

Alternative methods of payment which will enable immediate clearance of purchases include cash, bankers drafts, credit cards (Master Card, Visa and American Express) and debit cards. Although personal and company cheques are accepted, buyers are advised that property will not be released until such cheques have cleared.

**Please note that we will not accept cash payments in excess of £5,000 (five thousand pounds) in settlement for purchases made at any one auction.**

Purchases will be despatched as soon as possible upon receipt of your written despatch instructions and full payment in pounds sterling for the lots you have bought. Carriage will be at the buyer's expense. Estimates and advice on all methods of despatch can be provided upon request.

**All credit card payments are subject to an additional charge of 2 per cent.**

Insurance cover will be arranged unless otherwise specified and will be added to the carriage charge.

### Clearance of Purchases

Buyers who have not established a credit arrangement with Dix Noonan Webb will be asked to pay for their purchases in pounds sterling when they wish to take possession of them. It is regretted that Dix Noonan Webb cannot take banker's references over the telephone at the time of clearance and that buyers cannot take possession of their purchases until cheques are cleared.

If buyers wish to pay for their purchases by cheque they are urged to arrange clearance of their cheques well in advance of the sale by supplying appropriate banker's references.

Buyers will be requested to supply a reasonable means of identification at the time of payment.

Lots will only be released to the purchaser, or his or her authorised representative, if full payment in pounds sterling has been received by Dix Noonan Webb, together with settlement of any charges due.

## CONDITIONS OF BUSINESS

Conditions mainly concerning Buyers

### 1 The buyer

The highest bidder shall be the buyer at the 'hammer price' and any dispute shall be settled at the auctioneer's absolute discretion. Every bidder shall be deemed to act as principal unless there is in force a written acknowledgement by Dix Noonan Webb that he acts as agent on behalf of a named principal.

### 2 Minimum increment

The auctioneer shall have the right to refuse any bid which does not exceed the previous bid by at least 5 per cent or by such other proportion as the auctioneer shall in his absolute discretion direct.

### 3 The premium

The buyer shall pay to Dix Noonan Webb a premium on the 'hammer price' in accordance with the percentages set out in paragraph 4 above and agrees that Dix Noonan Webb, when acting as agent for the seller, may also receive commission from the seller in accordance with Condition 15.

### 4 Value added tax (VAT)

The buyers' premium is subject to the current rate of Value Added Tax if the purchaser is resident in the European Union

### 5 Payment

Immediately a lot is sold the buyer shall:

(a) give to Dix Noonan Webb his or her name and address and, if so requested, proof of identity; and

(b) pay to Dix Noonan Webb the 'total amount due' in pounds sterling (unless credit terms have been agreed with Dix Noonan Webb before the auction). Please note that we will not accept cash payments in excess of £5,000 (five thousand pounds) in settlement for purchases made at any one auction.

6 Dix Noonan Webb may, at its absolute discretion, agree credit terms with the buyer before an auction under which the buyer will be entitled to take possession of lots purchased up to an agreed amount in value in advance of payment by a determined future date of the 'total amount due'.

7 Any payments by a buyer to Dix Noonan Webb may be applied by Dix Noonan Webb towards any sums owing from that buyer to Dix Noonan Webb on any account whatever, without regard to any directions of the buyer, his or her agent, whether expressed or implied.

### 8 Collection of purchases

The ownership of the lot(s) purchased shall not pass to the buyer until he or



she has made payment in full to Dix Noonan Webb of the 'total amount due' in pounds sterling.

9 (a) The buyer shall at his or her own expense take away the lot(s) purchased not later than 5 working days after the day of the auction but (unless credit terms have been agreed in accordance with Condition 7) not before payment to Dix Noonan Webb of the 'total amount due'.

(b) The buyer shall be responsible for any removal, storage and insurance charges on any lot not taken away within 5 working days after the day of the auction.

(c) The packing and handling of purchased lots by Dix Noonan Webb staff is undertaken solely as a courtesy to clients and, in the case of fragile articles, will be undertaken only at Dix Noonan Webb's discretion. In no event will Dix Noonan Webb be liable for damage to glass or frames, regardless of the cause.

#### 10 Buyers' responsibilities for lots purchased

The buyer will be responsible for loss or damage to lots purchased from the time of collection or the expiry of 5 working days after the day of the auction, whichever is the sooner. Neither Dix Noonan Webb nor its servants or agents shall thereafter be responsible for any loss or damage of any kind, whether caused by negligence or otherwise, while any lot is in its custody or under its control.

#### 11 Remedies for non-payment or failure to collect purchase

If any lot is not paid for in full and taken away in accordance with Conditions 6 and 10, or if there is any other breach of either of those Conditions, Dix Noonan Webb as agent of the seller shall, at its absolute discretion and without prejudice to any other rights it may have, be entitled to exercise one or more of the following rights and remedies:

(a) to proceed against the buyer for damages for breach of contract.

(b) to rescind the sale of that or any other lots sold to the defaulting buyer at the same or any other auction.

(c) to re-sell the lot or cause it to be re-sold by public auction or private sale and the defaulting buyer shall pay to Dix Noonan Webb any resulting deficiency in the 'total amount due' (after deduction of any part payment and addition of re-sale costs) and any surplus shall belong to the seller.

(d) to remove, store and insure the lot at the expense of the defaulting buyer and, in the case of storage, either at Dix Noonan Webb premises or elsewhere.

(e) to charge interest at a rate not exceeding 2 percent per month on the 'total amount due' to the extent it remains unpaid for more than 5 working days after the day of the auction.

(f) to retain that or any other lot sold to the same buyer at the sale or any other auction and release it only after payment of the 'total amount due'.

(g) to reject or ignore any bids made by or on behalf of the defaulting buyer at any future auctions or obtaining a deposit before accepting any bids in future.

(h) to apply any proceeds of sale then due or at any time thereafter becoming due to the defaulting buyer towards settlement of the 'total amount due' and to exercise a lien on any property of the defaulting buyer which is in Dix Noonan Webb's possession for any purpose.

#### 12 Liability of Dix Noonan Webb and sellers

(a) Goods auctioned are usually of some age. All goods are sold with all faults and imperfections and errors of description. Illustrations in catalogues are for identification only. Buyers should satisfy themselves prior to the sale as to the condition of each lot and should exercise and rely on their own judgement as to whether the lot accords with its description. Subject to the obligations accepted by Dix Noonan Webb under this Condition, none of the seller, Dix Noonan Webb, its servants or agents is responsible for errors of descriptions or for the genuineness or authenticity of any lot. No warranty whatever is given by Dix Noonan Webb, its servants or agents, or any seller to any buyer in respect of any lot and any express or implied conditions or warranties are hereby excluded.

(b) Any lot which proves to be a 'deliberate forgery' may be returned by the buyer to Dix Noonan Webb within 15 days of the date of the auction in the

same condition in which it was at the time of the auction, accompanied by a statement of defects, the number of the lot, and the date of the auction at which it was purchased. If Dix Noonan Webb is satisfied that the item is a 'deliberate forgery' and that the buyer has and is able to transfer a good and marketable title to the lot free from any third party claims, the sale will be set aside and any amount paid in respect of the lot will be refunded, provided that the buyer shall have no rights under this Condition if:

(i) the description in the catalogue at the date of the sale was in accordance with the then generally accepted opinion of scholars and experts or fairly indicated that there was a conflict of such opinion; or

(ii) the only method of establishing at the date of publication of the catalogue that the lot was a 'deliberate forgery' was by means of scientific processes not generally accepted for use until after publication of the catalogue or a process which was unreasonably expensive or impractical.

(c) A buyer's claim under this Condition shall be limited to any amount paid in respect of the lot and shall not extend to any loss or damage suffered or expense incurred by him or her.

(d) The benefit of the Condition shall not be assignable and shall rest solely and exclusively in the buyer who, for the purpose of this condition, shall he and only be the person to whom the original invoice is made out by Dix Noonan Webb in respect of the lot sold.

#### Conditions mainly concerning Sellers and Consignors

##### 13 Warranty of title and availability

The seller warrants to Dix Noonan Webb and to the buyer that he or she is the true owner of the property or is properly authorised to sell the property by the true owner and is able to transfer good and marketable title to the property free from any third party claims. The seller will indemnify Dix Noonan Webb, its servants and agents and the buyer against any loss or damage suffered by either in consequence or any breach on the part of the seller.

##### 14 Reserves

The seller shall be entitled to place prior to the auction a reserve on any single item lot which has a minimum value of £100, being the minimum 'hammer price' at which that lot may be treated as sold. A reserve once placed by the seller shall not be changed without the consent of Dix Noonan Webb. Dix Noonan Webb may at their option sell at a 'hammer price' below the reserve but in any such cases the sale proceeds to which the seller is entitled shall be the same as they would have been had the sale been at the reserve. Where a reserve has been placed, only the auctioneer may bid on behalf of the seller.

##### 15 Authority to deduct commission and expenses

The seller authorises Dix Noonan Webb to deduct commission at the 'stated rate' and 'expenses' from the 'hammer price' and acknowledges Dix Noonan Webb's right to retain the premium payable by the buyer.

##### 16 Rescission of sale

If before Dix Noonan Webb remit the 'sale proceeds' to the seller, the buyer makes a claim to rescind the sale that is appropriate and Dix Noonan Webb is of the opinion that the claim is justified, Dix Noonan Webb is authorised to rescind the sale and refund to the buyer any amount paid to Dix Noonan Webb in respect of the lot.

##### 17 Payment of sale proceeds

Dix Noonan Webb shall remit the 'sale proceeds' to the seller not later than 35 days after the auction, but if by that date Dix Noonan Webb has not received the 'total amount due' from the buyer then Dix Noonan Webb will remit the sale proceeds within five working days after the date on which the 'total amount due' is received from the buyer. If credit terms have been agreed between Dix Noonan Webb and the buyer, Dix Noonan Webb shall remit to the seller the sale proceeds not later than 35 days after the auction unless otherwise agreed by the seller.

18 If the buyer fails to pay to Dix Noonan Webb the 'total amount due' within 3 weeks after the auction, Dix Noonan Webb will endeavour to notify the seller and take the seller's instructions as to the appropriate course of

action and, so far as in Dix Noonan Webb's opinion is practicable, will assist the seller to recover the 'total amount due' from the buyer. If circumstances do not permit Dix Noonan Webb to take instructions from the seller, the seller authorises Dix Noonan Webb at the seller's expense to agree special terms for payment of the 'total amount due', to remove, store and insure the lot sold, to settle claims made by or against the buyer on such terms as Dix Noonan Webb shall in its absolute discretion think fit, to take such steps as are necessary to collect monies due by the buyer to the seller and if necessary to rescind the sale and refund money to the buyer.

19 If, notwithstanding that the buyer fails to pay to Dix Noonan Webb the 'total amount due' within three weeks after the auction, Dix Noonan Webb remits the 'sale proceeds' to the seller, the ownership of the lot shall pass to Dix Noonan Webb.

20 Charges for withdrawn lots

Where a seller cancels instructions for sale, Dix Noonan Webb reserve the right to charge a fee of 15 per cent of Dix Noonan Webb's then latest estimate or middle estimate of the auction price of the property withdrawn, together with Value Added Tax thereon if the seller is resident in the European Union, and 'expenses' incurred in relation to the property.

21 Rights to photographs and illustrations

The seller gives Dix Noonan Webb full and absolute right to photograph and illustrate any lot placed in its hands for sale and to use such photographs and illustrations and any photographs and illustrations provided by the seller at any time at its absolute discretion (whether or not in connection with the auction).

22 Unsold lots

Where any lot fails to sell, Dix Noonan Webb shall notify the seller accordingly. The seller shall make arrangements either to re-offer the lot for sale or to collect the lot.

23 Dix Noonan Webb reserve the right to charge commission up to one-half of the 'stated rates' calculated on the 'bought-in price' and in addition 'expenses' in respect of any unsold lots.

General conditions and definitions

24 Dix Noonan Webb sells as agent for the seller (except where it is stated wholly or partly to own any lot as principal) and as such is not responsible for any default by seller or buyer.

25 Any representation or statement by Dix Noonan Webb, in any catalogue as to authorship, attribution, genuineness, origin, date, age, provenance, condition or estimated selling price is a statement of opinion only. Every person interested should exercise and rely on his or her own judgement as to such matters and neither Dix Noonan Webb nor its servants or agents are responsible for the correctness of such opinions.

26 Whilst the interests of prospective buyers are best served by attendance at the auction, Dix Noonan Webb will, if so instructed, execute bids on their behalf. Neither Dix Noonan Webb nor its servants or agents are responsible for any neglect or default in doing so or for failing to do so.

27 Dix Noonan Webb shall have the right, at its discretion, to refuse admission to its premises or attendance at its auctions by any person.

28 Dix Noonan Webb has absolute discretion without giving any reason to refuse any bid, to divide any lot, to combine any two or more lots, to withdraw any lot from the auction and in case of dispute to put up any lot for auction again.

29 (a) Any indemnity under these Conditions shall extend to all actions, proceedings costs, expenses, claims and demands whatever incurred or suffered by the person entitled to the benefit of the indemnity.

(b) Dix Noonan Webb declares itself to be a trustee for its relevant servants and agents of the benefit of every indemnity under these Conditions to the extent that such indemnity is expressed to be for the benefit of its servants and agents.

30 Any notice by Dix Noonan Webb to a seller, consignor, prospective bidder or buyer may be given by first class mail or airmail and if so given shall be deemed to have been duly received by the addressee 48 hours after posting.

31 These Conditions shall be governed by and construed in accordance with English law. All transactions to which these Conditions apply and all matters

connected therewith shall also be governed by English law. Dix Noonan Webb hereby submits to the exclusive jurisdiction of the English courts and all other parties concerned hereby submit to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the English courts.

3.2 In these Conditions:

(a) 'catalogue' includes any advertisement, brochure, estimate, price list or other publication;

(b) 'hammer price' means the price at which a lot is knocked down by the auctioneer to the buyer;

(c) 'total amount due' means the 'hammer price' in respect of the lot sold together with any premium, Value Added Tax chargeable and additional charges and expenses due from a defaulting buyer in pounds sterling;

(d) 'deliberate forgery' means an imitation made with the intention of deceiving as to authorship, origin, date, age, period, culture or source which is not shown to be such in the description in the catalogue and which at the date of the sale had a value materially less than it would have had if it had been in accordance with that description;

(e) 'sale proceeds' means the net amount due to the seller being the 'hammer price' of the lot sold less commission at the 'stated rates' and 'expenses' and any other amounts due to Dix Noonan Webb by the seller in whatever capacity and howsoever arising;

(f) 'stated rate' means Dix Noonan Webb published rates of commission for the time and any Value Added Tax thereon;

(g) 'expenses' in relation to the sale of any lot means Dix Noonan Webb charges and expenses for insurance, illustrations, special advertising, packing and freight of that lot and any Value Added Tax thereon;

(h) 'bought-in price' means 5 per cent more than the highest bid received below the reserve.

3.3 Vendors' commission of sales

A commission of 15 per cent is payable by the vendor on the hammer price on lots sold.

3.4 VAT

Commission, illustrations, insurance and advertising are subject to VAT if the seller is resident in the European Union.

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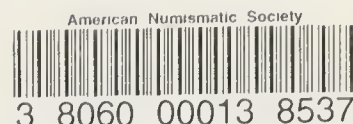
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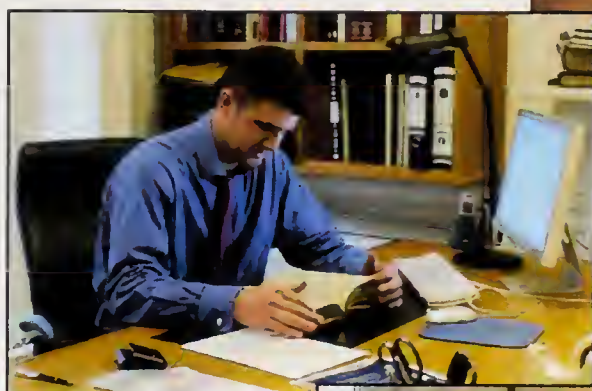
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Our staff of experts collectively have over 300 years of unrivalled experience on all aspects of numismatics, including coins of all types, tokens, commemorative medals, paper money, orders, decorations, campaign medals and militaria.

We hold several auctions each year, the full contents of which are published on the Internet one month before the sale date. Printed catalogues are mailed three weeks prior to each sale. During each cataloguing cycle, details of the lots in all coin and paper money auctions are updated daily on our website.



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In addition, we handle private treaty sales of fine orders, decorations and campaign medals.

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